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Chestnuts were sold on our streets last Saturday for 7 aud 8 cents a quart.

The front of THE COLUMBIAN building has been newly painted D. R. Coffman was the artist.

The time for discounting the school tax of Greenwood township will expire October 17th 1891.

There were some good races at Benton fair last week. The attendance was about as usual.

Neal Dougherty had the end of a finger crushed on Tuesday, while lifting a hand car on the railroad.

On last Friday Dr. Brown removed a cataract for Mrs. David Barnes of Hackettstown, New Jersey.

Rev. P. A. Heilman, pastor of the Lutheran church began a series of sermons on the Ten Commandments last Sunday evening.

Edward Casey, accompanied by Jno. Tracey, as assistant, took John H. Dukes to the Huntingdon Reformatory on Tuesday.

Arlington's New United Minstrels will appear in the Opera House on Friday evening. A street parade will take place at noon.

Don't forget to attend the Demorest Contest to be held in the Reformed Church, Tuesday, Oct. 20th. Admission 15 cts.

The Masons from this section of the State had a banquet at Milton Monday afternoon. About twenty-five from Bloomsburg were in attendance.

A Georgia editor says: "The longer we run a newspaper and write about people, the more we realize how impossible it is to scratch every man on the right spot."

We have received from the Trustees and Faculty of Lafayette College, an invitation to the inauguration of the new President, Ethelbert Dudley Warfield, L. L. D., on Tuesday, October 20th, at Easton.

If you want to hear an eloquent address go to the Court House Thursday evening and listen to R. E. Wright, the democratic candidate for auditor general. He is one of the finest orators in the state.

State Chairman Kerr has engaged Hon. E. M. Tewksbury to speak in Berks, Northampton, Bradford and Tioga counties. Mr. Tewksbury is always ready to do service for the party.

There are many strangers in town this week, and some of them are tough looking customers. It will be well to lock up carefully at night; and also in the day time, if the premises are left alone, during the fair.

The Bloom Ferry Company has put a new flat on the river. It is 50 feet long, and 11 feet wide, and was built by John Randall's of Espy. Francis Lafountain, the accommodating ferryman, still has charge of the boats, and says he can carry twenty tons over on his new boat.

A soap swindler has gulled people in neighboring towns selling a worthless compound for $2 and promising to send a law book to all purchasers, free of charge, which he never does. He may work around this way. Keep an eye open for him and make it interesting for him if he does.

Henry Shepherd the colored cook employed by Mrs. Phillips last spring, who was supposed to have been killed on a vessel last summer, has been heard from. he is alive and now in Philadelphia. An account of his supposed murder appeared in this paper a few weeks ago. He wants to come back to Bloomsburg, but probably will not have the chance.

Phineas B. Heddens has bought a half interest in the White House Restaurant, and it is now conducted by Blue & Heddens. Everything is kept in first class style, and the famous Morris River Cove oysters are served up in any shape. The bill of fare includes all kinds of seasonable delicacies, and the cooking is of the best.

The operetta entitled "Jack the Giant Killer" will be rendered by the children of St. Paul's Sunday school Saturday evening Oct. 24th, in the Opera House. Also tableaux of Cinderella and the glass slipper. Cinderella will ride to the ball in her original pumpkin chariot. Timothy Trot, Polly Hopkins and Tommy Tompkins, &c, will all be there.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular meeting of Council called at 8:30 p. m. with all members present except E. R. Furman. A petition from property owners on Fourth street, between Market and Centre St., was read, asking that Council establish the grade, and direct the paving, etc., of said portion of Fourth street. Upon motion of Messrs. Gorrey and Allen, prayer of petition was granted and surveyor instructed to establish the grade.

Mr. F. C. Fyer appears representing residents and property owners of Market street, between First and Second street, who in a petition ask that Council orders the gutters on said portion of Market street to be set out about 6 feet towards the line of the macadamized portion. Granted on motion of Willits and White, providing the property owners agree to fill up, sod, and take proper care of the space between the gutter and the paving line.

Upon motion of Allen and Gorrey it was directed that the arc lights at Second and East street, and Market and Sixth streets be ordered moved to hang in a proper position in center of the streets.

Motion of Gorrey and Willits, in the matter of the legacy of David Stroup, deceased to the town of Bloomsburg of two thousand dollars to be used to assist in supplying the town with water, the solicitor be instructed to have the bequest placed in the hands of the Town so that Council can take action toward making use of it.

A Communication was read from J. K. Bittenbender regarding the bad condition of the crossing at Third and Centre streets; upon motion of Messrs. Gorrey and Rhodes it was ordered fixed.

Upon motion of Rhodes and Allen two crossings were ordered placed on north side of Eighth street, one at Catharine and one at Poplar. Also, a pit placed in engine room of Town Hall under the engine for the cleaning of the flues.

Bloomsburg Cornet Band applied in a Communication for the privilege of holding a dance in Town Hall, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of fair week. Request was granted on motion of Willits and Rhodes. Building permits were granted to Nathaniel Spear and Daniel H. Creveling.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran Church applied for a permit to erect a stable on rear of parsonage lot. A remonstrance against granting it was read, signed by citizens residing in the vicinity. Application was laid on the table.

M. C. Woodward was elected tax collector for the year 1891 on motion of Messrs. White and Gorrey.

G. M. Follmer having lost an order issued to him in 1887 to the amount of $5.00, applied for a duplicate, Secretary was instructed, on motion of White and Gorrey to issue the said duplicate of order No. 408 of 1887.

Bills were presented and orders drawn as follows:

Labor on streets for Sept.	$515.92
Elijah Shutt, watchman Oak Grove	25.00
Police service	15.00
M. C. Woodward, constable	7.67
Henry Deichmille, lab'r 1890	7.50
John Whitenight, stone	9.10
J. Bachman, masonry	12.33
P. G. Miller, stone	69.80
Wm. Neal & Sons, cleaning run	3.85
C. W. Neal & Bro., coal for crusher	15.21
Kesty & Hoffman, work on mill and crusher	18.50
Penna. Globe Gaslight Co. for Sept.	102.38
J. Schuyler, sundries	3.60
Elwell & Bittenbender, printing	4.80
Harman & Hassert, repairs to pump	27.50
Bloomsb'rg Water Co., water at Oak Grove to Oct. 1	3.38
Bloomsb'rg Water Co, town hall to Jan. 1, '91	9.75
Bloomsb'g Water Co. hydrants	83.34
W. O. Holmes, West St. sewer	131.57
W. O. Holmes, work on main sewer	1.30
W. O. Holmes, repairs Town Hall	.80
Creasy & Wells, lumber,	104.00
W. B. Cummings, secretary	15.00
Total	1187.30

The first entertainment in the Y. M. C. A., course, in the Opera House last Friday night, by the New York Stars and Mecklems was excellent. The audience was not as large as it ought to have been, but it was a very appreciative one and every number on the first half of the program was vigorously encored. Each member of the company is an artist, and everybody was delighted with the concert. The course prepared by the Y. M. C. A. is a good one, and should be liberally patronized. Scott's Recitals comes next, on November 6th.

KELLER—FREAS.

A pretty church wedding took place in the Methodist Episcopal church of Berwick at 1 o'clock October 8th. Miss Verde Gere Freas, youngest daughter of Henry C. Freas, was married to C. B. Keller, Jr., of Stroudsburg. The groom is a well known young man of that place, and an officer in Stroudsburg's National Bank.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alfred Bowman, uncle to the bride, of Snickshinny, assisted by Rev. Sylvester G. Grove. pastor of the M. E. church, Stroudsburg, and Rev Richard Hingle, of Berwick. The groom's best man was his brother, Dr. H. H. Keller, superintendent and surgeon-in-chief of the new State hospital at Hazleton. The ushers were D. C. Carter, of Blairstown, N. J.; W. A. Erdman, of Stodsburg; W. Keller and Frank N. Irwin, of Philadelphia. There were no bridesmaids nor maids of honor.

The bride was given away by her father. The large church was beautifully decorated, and the wedding march was played by Professor Richardson. Among the most prominent people present from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dickson, Williamsport; Rev. Bart Stone, Falls, Pa.; Dr. Randall Hutchinson, Silverbrook; Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Lowe, Mrs. J. S. Housknecht, Mrs. Martha Brown, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. Freas Brown, of Bloomsburg; Mrs. E. I. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs C. W. Miller, J. F. Opdyke, William Keller, D. J. Thomas, W. H. McGarragh, from Stroudsburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Keller, Mrs. C. Howard Palmer, Miss Ella P. Keller, Miss Bessie Keller, and Mrs William V. Brown.

LUTHERAN CHURCH ITEMS

The Lutheran congregation is a very busy community of Christians this season. From ten to twelve regular meetings are held by the various branches of the congregation each week, sometimes three in one evening.

The pastor is preaching a series of sermons on the Ten Commandments, which is awakening a great deal of interest. Last Sunday evening was the introduction. Next Sunday even the first commandment and so on, each successive Sunday evening until the whole Decalogue is gone over.

The Aid Society is putting steam heat in the parsonage, which will make it a complete home.

The Sunday School is about to adopt a new singing book and other improvements that will greatly add to the interest.

The ladies will give a dinner in the Old Presbyterian church on the 13th of November.

The weekly offering system inaugurated a year and a half ago has been very successful and has increased the regularity of attendance.

The Communion Service and Harvest Home held on the first Sunday of Oct. was the most interesting held for years.

MISS MARTHA WELLS.

On Friday morning last at half past ten o'clock Miss Martha Wells passed from this earth to her heavenly reward. For five years she has been an intense sufferer, but she bore her bodily afflictions with great patience and christian fortitude. Her last night on earth was one of agony, but her faith never faltered. She was a daughter of Henry Wells, and was the last of her family. One sister Mrs. A. J. Sloan, and one brother preceded her to the spirit world years ago.

Her age was 61 years, 9 months and 29 days. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon at two o'clock, at St. Paul's P. E. Church of which she was a member, and in which she labored faithfully for many years as a Sunday school teacher, and member of the Ladies' Guild. The burial was in Rosemont Cemetery. Rev. W. C. Leverett conducted the services.

LOCAL INSTITUTE.

The first local Teachers Institute, by the teachers of the Bloomsburg School District was held in the High-school Building last Saturday afternoon. The program as announced last week was rendered entire. All the teachers were present and a few patrons. The addresses and essays were excellent, and brought forth much food for thought. These institutes will be held on the second Saturday of each month, and it is to be hoped at the next one the patrons of the school will fill the room to overflowing.

The arc lights have got into the unpleasant habit of going out occasionally at night, and leaving those dependent upon them in the dark. The defect is in the machinery, and the difficulty will be remedied by the purchase of new and perfect dynamos at an early date.

SCHOOL BOARD.

The regular meeting of the school board of Bloomsburg School District was held in Public library Thursday evening of last week. Teachers and janitors all present to make monthly settlements. The principal gave a written report showing the work done during the first month. The committee on course of study, reported having looked after the crowded condition of the schools in Third street, and made some transfers to Fifth street, by which arrangement the children could be accommodated this year without the necessity of employing any additional teachers. Committee on building and grounds were directed to repair the black-board in primary grade at Fifth street, also repair weather vane on High School building and erect flag poles on Third and Fifth streets. Report was made that the Junior American Mechanics would present flags to the public schools on Friday November 20th. The following resolution was passed: Teachers shall not absent themselves from their duties without the consent of the principal who shall refer the matter to the board of directors. The next regular meeting of the board will be held Friday November 6th.

DEMOCRATIC CONFERENCE.

The Democratic conference of this Senatorial District met at the Hotel Crawford in Williamsport last week Tuesday to select delegates to the constitutional convention. The district is composed of Columbia, Montour, Lycoming and Sullivan counties. Guy Jacoby Esq., and C. A. Kleim were the Conferees from this county. John J. Reardon Esq., of Williamsport was elected chairman of the conference, and J. G. Scouten Esq., of Sullivan was made Secretary. Four names were presented for delegates, from which two are to be selected. Columbia county presented the name of Hon A. L. Fritz. The other candidates are J. F. Strieby of Lycoming, Geo. Strieby of Sullivan and Mr. Corman of Montour. A large number of ballots were taken on Tuesday and Wednesday without any result, and the Conference adjourned to meet in Williamsport again on Tuesday, the 13th

The conference met on Tuesday and nominated A. L. Fritz of Columbia, and Edward Corman of Montour.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

By a committee appointed at a regular meeting of Ent Post 150 G. A. R. Friday evening, October, 9th 1891

WHEREAS: Death has again entered our ranks and taken our true and tried Comrade, Rev. J. E. Edwards. This Post loses its Chaplain and true christian advisor.

And whereas we recognize in him a good husband and loving father,

Resolved: That the charter of this Post be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved: That these resolutions be placed on the minutes and a copy be sent to the bereaved family. And also to the town papers for publication.

W. R. RINGROSE.
T. M. DAWSON. } Com.
C. P. SLOAN.

When steam heat was turned on the streets, an escape of steam and hot water into the cellars of properties on Main street between Whitman's alley and Market street soon followed. It was supposed there was a leak in the main and on Saturday workmen began digging to ascertain the location of the break. THE COLUMBIAN office was suffering the most inconvenience and so a hole was dug by the Steam Company in the street in front of the building, and when it was sunk about 18 inches, a flow of water was struck, which evidently did not come from the steam pipes. Several holes were dug on Saturday without locating the leak, and it was found necessary to continue the work all day Sunday. Towards evening it was found that the leak was in the service pipe leading from the water main into the Post office building. It had undermined the streets in several places and following along the steam pipes, found its way into the cellars. The water pipe wss rusted through in many places. The difficulty was remedied on Monday.

R. E. Wright and A. L. Tilden democratic candidates for auditor general and state treasurer, in company with State chairman James Kerr, Judge Harvey of Allentown will arrive in Bloomsburg, Thursday at 12:05. They will be met by a reception committee consisting of Hon. E. R. Ikeler, C. R, Buckalew, John G. Freeze and J. R. Townsend. The delegation will proceed to the Fair Grounds where a reception will be held. In the evening addresses will be made in the Court House by R. E. Wright and others.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

OCTOBER 7.—The following deeds were acknowledged in open court:

To A. B. Stewart for property of John Keller, for $350; to Sarah A. Decker for property of John Stickel, for $46.30; to B. F. Fritz for property of W. A. Fritz, for $400; to Sarah Case for property of John Steely, for $5.00; to Isaac W. Yeakel for property of Mary A. Dewey, for $1052; to John J. McHenry for property of C. D. Carpenter, for $500; L. S., F. T. and J. J. Runyan for property of Samuel Farnsworth, for $4805.

First account estate of William Dildine, deceased, confirmed nisi.

Opinion of court filed declaring the seats of Edward Williams, D. E. Keller, G. W. Davis, John Nertney Edward Dempsey and C. G. Murphy as school directors of the Centralia School District vacant, and Andrew Gallagher, J. R. Potter, W. J. Ryan, C. E. Hicks, Patrick Curran and and John B. Ervin appointed in their stead.

Fleckenstine Bros. vs. William Miller, case tried, judgment by consent for plaintiff for $447.76.

John Appleman, John Whitnover and Davis Garner appointed viewers of a road in Greenwood near A. J. Derr's store.

John Appleman, J. S. Hagenbuch and Arthur Creasy appointed viewers of a road in Scott near Espy ferry.

I. A. Dewitt, Peter K. Shultz and Aaron Fritz appoin ed viewers of a road in Benton, near John Heacock's.

G. W. Suplee, B. F. Dallman and John Hippensteel appointed viewers of a road in Greenwood near Elias Watts'.

J. C Brown, J. S. Mensch and P. S Karshner appointed viewers of a road in Centre near Lutheran church.

Peter Swank, David Shultz, and Thomas Mordan appointed viewers of a road in Montour from P. & R. R. R to Taylor Ruckles, to view and vacate.

Charles Moore, J. B. Harman and D. K. Sloan appointed viewers of a bridge in Scott near Mellick's creek.

H. H. Hulme, B. F. Fritz and Moses Savage appointed veiwers of a road in Pine and Greenwood near M. H. Bitler's and Lloyd Alberson's.

J. C. Brown, Edward Englehart, snd Sassman Haines appointed viewers of a road in Catawissa near Moses Hower's.

I. L. Edwards, E. Laubach, and T. B. Cole appointed rereviewers of a bridge in Sugarloaf over Fishingcreek, near J. P. Fritz's.

J. B. Knittle, J. F. Bauman and Geo. Breisch appointed reviewers of a road in Roaringcreek near Geo. Craig's.

Petition of E. Barton John, minor for allowance, allowance decreed.

J. F. Chapin vs. W. J. Hess, petition for rule to open judgment.

Acknowledgement of sheriff's deeds and payment of purchase money in case of Catharine Whitenight, executor vs. Norman W. Walter, adjourned until Nov. 10.

Petition of Thomas M. Mensch, guardain of minor children of George and Lucy Kostenbauder deceased, for discharge filed.

S. V. Boone's executor vs. R. & B. R. R. Co. verdict for plaintiff for $1137.50.

C. E. Geyer appointed to examine and pass upon the account of Thos. M. Mensch. guardian.

Joseph W. Eves, Hugh Fairman, Henry J. Trievelpiece appointed viewers to vacate a road in Benton near H. F. Everett's.

Estate of Philip Springer, confirmation of sale stricken off and resale ordered.

Mary. E Walter, vs. G. W. Walter; J. S. Kline Esq. appointed commissioner to take testimony.

Prudence Girton vs. D. K. Girton, divorce, publication directed.

W. G. Gittens vs. Gladys Gittens, divorce, alia subpœna awarded.

Citation to N. P. Moore, guardian of C. W. Langfield, to file an account; attachment awarded.

L. S. Wintersteen appointed auditor in estate of H. G. Creveling.

Sarah Ann Hudson vs. Oscar Hudson; T. J. Vanderslice Esq., appointed commissioner to take testimony.

W. D. Beckley appointed auditor in assigned estate of Stiltz & Co.

Geo. E. Elwell continued as auditor in estate of D. W. Walter.

A sensational report got into the daily papers last week concerning an alleged prize fight at Berwick, in which one of the parties had his jaw broken, and was seriously if not fatally injured, and the other had fled to avoid arrest. Ed. Boone says there is not a word of truth in the report, and the lively manner in which he worked his jaw in expressing his opinion of those who started the story, was satisfactory evidence that it was not broken.

The Washingtonville fair will be held next week.

PERSONAL.

William Seers is spending the week in town.

Mrs. T. L. Gunton has been seriously ill, but is improving.

Michael Chamberlin and wife spent Monday in Bloomsburg.

Rev. W. H. Schuyler is visiting his father, Dr. Schuyler.

Mrs. Eli Ager of Wilkesbarre is a guest at the Exchange Hotel.

Secretary B F. Armstrong of the Y. M. C. A. was in Pittsburg this week.

Dan L. Brown of New York is spending a week in town and taking in the fair.

W. M. Sloan came from the West last Saturday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Miss Mattie Wells.

Mrs. Fletcher Harris of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Rupert.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mercer of Knox county, Ohio, are visiting their son, J. H. Mercer.

Senator Grant Herring went to Harrisburg on Monday to attend the special session of the Senate which began on Tuesday.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES

School closed this week on Thursday evening to give all students a chance to go to the fair on Friday.

A new 30 horse-power boiler will be put in place next week. This is another evidence of the growth of the school. The old boiler could no longer do all the work.

The Ariel–Thomas Concert Co. will be here on the 26th. The students can hardly wait. All who miss hearing them will find out next day what they have missed. No other company can show a more splendid record. They draw crowded houses all over the United States. Not a single disappointed audience.

The ladies who constitute the Ariel Quartette are all artists, the pianist, Mr. Pick is world renowned, having met with flattering success both in Europe and America, and the humorist has won the title of "prince of humorists."

The following is a sample of the endorsements given them in all parts of of the United States:

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 5, 1891. Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, 1891. Grand Rapids experienced the worst "blizzard" of the season. It was bitter cold, and the snow-storm was blinding. Yet over eighteen hundred of our leading citizens turned out to hear the splendid entertainment given by the Ariel–Thomas Combination.

Every number on the programme was repeatedly *encored*—proof positive that the large audience was delighted with the singing of the charming ladies composing the Quartette; and as for John Thomas, the Humorist—well, to say that he was a success is hardly stating the facts of the case.

In his line, John Thomas is the superior of any humorist that ever appeared in this city. You may put the Ariel-Thomas Co. down for my 1891–92 course, please, and oblige

Yours, C. C. HARTMAN.
Manager Hartman's Hall.

The Providence, R. I. *Daily Times* says: The largest audience ever seen in the Opera House greeted the Arlington Minstrels last night. The performance was an excellent one, the best that has ever visited Providence; from first to last it was all that could be desired in point of amusement, the jokes were fresh and good, and entirely free from coarseness; the singing and dancing was excellent and the other features of the entertainment were in keeping with the good character of the performance throughout.

Remember this great Minstrel Company will exhibit at the Bloomsburg Opera House on Friday evening, 16th.

A large reception was held at the residence of Mr. I. W. McKelvy last week Thursday evening, by Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell and Miss Elizabeth W. McKelvy, in honor of their brother and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson McKelvy. The house was beautifully trimmed with flowers, smilax and laurel. Stopper & Fiske's orchestra of Williamsport supplied the music and it was fine. The refreshments were served by colored waiters supplied by Mrs. Phillips and they did it to the entire satisfaction of the large company. Over one hundred guests were present.

The disappearance of R. Jones Monaghan of West Chester about two weeks ago, still remains a mystery. No clue to the missing man has been found, and his friends have given him up, as dead.

THE HIGHER PANTHEISM.

The sun, the moon, the stars, the seas, the hills, and the plains—
Are not these, O Soul, the vision of Him who reigns?

Is not the vision He? tho' He be not that which He seems?
Dreams are true while they last, and do we not live in dreams?

Earth, these solid stars, this weight of body and limb,
Are they not sign and symbol of thy division from Him?

Dark is the world to thee; thyself art the reason why;
For is He not all but thou that hast power to feel "I am I?"

Glory about thee without thee; and thou fulfillest thy doom,
Making Him broken gleams, and a stifled splendor and gloom.

Speak to Him thou for He hears, and Spirit with Spirit can meet—
Closer is He than breathing, and nearer than hands and feet.

God is law, say the wise; O Soul, and let us rejoice,
For if He thunder by law the thunder is yet His voice.

Law is God, say some; no God at all, says the fool;
For all we have power to see is a straight staff bent in the pool.

And the ear of man can not hear, and the eye of man can not see;
But if he could not see and hear, this Vision—were it not He? —Tennyson.

HOW HE WAS CURED.

"I am a miserable man," said Mr. Cyrus Maddox gloomily, "and it is best that the world should be rid of my presence. No one cares for me."

"Oh, don't say that, uncle," said Lizzie Silver beseechingly. "You know I love you. You are the only friend I have in the world, and if you were to die what would become of me?"

"I suppose young Guy Cheevers would console you for my loss," said Mr. Maddox grimly. "At any rate, I don't care. I will end my troubles and sorrow to-morrow at 12 m."

With these fearful words he strode out of the room, leaving Lizzie sobbing, with her curly black head resting on a dinner plate.

"What's the matter now, Bess? Has the milliner disappointed you in your love of a bonnet?" asked a warm, hearty voice, which was the property of "young Guy Cheevers," as Mr. Maddox called him, as that gentleman strode into the room."

"Oh, Guy!" sobbed Lizzie. "Uncle Cyrus is going to die to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

"How do you know?"

"He said so."

"But how does he know?"

"He's going to k ll himself."

"So as to make himself a true prophet, eh?" asked Guy, laughing.

"Oh, Guy, don't joke!" cried Lizzie tearfully. "He will—I know he will!"

"I doubt it!" said Guy skeptically.

"But he tried to commit suicide several times," she persisted fearfully. "Once he tried to smother himself with burning charcoal, but he forgot to stop up the keyhole, and I smelt the smoke and got some neighbors to break open the door, and saved him. Then he tried to hang himself, but the cord broke, and he fired a pistol at himself, but forgot to put any ball in it, so that failed; and then——"

"Gracious!" cried Guy, as Lizzie stopped for want of breath; "what a determined man he must be! Such perseverance deserves to be rewarded. Have you any idea what plan he will try now?"

"I'm su[illegible]e I don't know," said Lizzie.

"But what [illegible]oes he want to make away with himself for?" asked Guy wonderingly.

"Why, he says he is a mis[illegible]erable man—burden to every one, and that h[illegible]e has no joys for him, and that he is weary o[illegible] this world——"

"And so would like to try the next?" said Guy. "Perhaps he won't find it so pleasant as the one he is quitting. What an unreasonable man he must be! He is rich, talented, healthy, and has a very pretty neice"—here in a moment of abstraction he allowed his arm to wander around Miss Silver's waist—"and what more can he want? But some people never are satisfied. It seems he is determined to pry into futurity, and it seems a pity to disappoint so laudable an ambition; but duty—duty to myself—compels me to interfere. I dislike any scandal or excitement. A coroner's jury would cause both; therefore, we must balk his little game."

"But how?" asked Lizzie curiously.

"A prudent general," said Guy haughtily, "never confides his plans to his army, particularly when the army is of feminine gender; so excuse me, mum's the word. But rest assured, my dearest Elizabeth, that unless your worthy uncle shuffles off this mortal coil in a surreptitious manner before 12 o'clock to-morrow he will not do it afterward—of course I mean illegally. Farewell till to-morrow."

Having concluded this address Guy strode off in a tragic manner, leaving Lizzie greatly surprized, but still quite reassured, for in her opinion what Guy couldn't do wasn't worth doing.

The next morning Mr. Maddox made his appearance, very saturnine and gloomy, and ate his breakfast with a mournful air that was terribly impressive. Having finished, he then took leave of his niece in a feeling manner.

"I am about to leave you," said he mournfully. "I am about to end this life of misery. I hope that you may be happy."

"Oh, don't go!" said Lizzie, tearfully clinging to him, and looking into his face pleadingly.

"It's useless," said Mr. Maddox firmly. "My mind is fixed, and nothing you can do can persuade me to relinquish my purpose. But you, my dear child, shall not be unprovided for. I intend to make my will in the few hours that are left me, and you will not be forgotten. Good by, my dear child, farewell!"

And then, after embracing his niece fervently, he rushed from the room frantically and securely locked himself in his own room, and began to prepare himself for his last journey.

"Nine o'clock!" he said to himself, looking at his watch. "Three hours yet! Enough to do all that I have to do. First to make my will!"

The last will and testament of Mr. Cyrus Maddox was evidently not a long one, as it was finished in less than an hour.

"Eleven o'clock," said Mr. Maddox, and I have finished. How slow the time passes, to be sure! Now, what shall I do until 12, for I am determined not to die until noon——"

A knock at the door.

"Go away," cried Mr. Maddox angrily; "you can't come in!"

"I am very sorry to disagree with you," said a voice outside, "but I can come in. I have a duplicate key here, and if you don't open the door I will."

Mr. Maddox rose and unlocked the door savagely, and Mr. Guy Cheevers stalked into the room, carrying an oblong box under his arm.

He placed the box on the table and then took a seat opposite Mr. Maddox and stared blankly at him.

"What do you want?" asked the latter fiercely. "Don't you see I am engaged?"

"Oh, I know," said Guy, "what you are about to do! Don't think that I'm going to interfere—not at all. But before you make your quietus I wish to ask you a few questions. Have you provided for your niece's welfare?"

"What's that to you?"

"Considerable. I am about to marry Miss Silver; so her interests are naturally mine."

"Then she is provided for—amply."

"Thank you for the information. Very glad to hear it. And now excuse the apparent impertinence of the question, but where is your will?"

"Here," replied Mr. Maddox, laying his hand on it.

"Suppose you give it to me to take care of?"

"Give it you! Why, pray?"

"It might become misplaced," explained Guy.

"I'll keep it myself," said Mr. Maddox in a rough tone.

"Then just leave a memorandum on the table," said Guy earnestly, "to tell where it is. It will save trouble, perhaps."

"Get out!" cried Mr. Maddox angrily.

"Ah, I see!" said Mr. Cheevers coolly; "in a hurry to begin. Well, I won't detain you; but I have a little suggestion to offer."

"Well?" said Mr. Maddox impatiently.

"It is this," said Guy. "Miss Silver informs me that you have made several previous efforts to c t short your trouble and your breath, and always unsuccessfully. Now it seems to me you d n't go the right way about it. This box"—and here he opened the box alluded to—"contains several little plans that I think might please you. Here's one," and he showed a little steel instrument.

"What's that?" asked Mr. Maddox.

"This," said Guy, "is an article that you can place round your neck like a collar, then, by straing your hand on the left side of your neck, a sharp spike is driven into your jugular vein——"

"But that would kill me!" said Mr. Maddox, staring.

"Well, ain't that what you want?" demanded Guy sternly. "Now, here's another," he went on. "Here's a wheel, you observe; you place this band round your neck, pass it round the wheel, and give it two or three turns—then let go. The recoil will twist your head almost off your shoulders—kill you to a certainty."

Mr. Maddox stared at him with unfeigned horror.

"Then," went on Guy coolly, "here's a little package, a torpedo. It contains nitroglycerine. You place it in your mouth, snap your teeth on it, and off goes your head, smashed into millions of atoms."

"Good heavens!" exclaimed Mr. Maddox fearfully. "What a terrible idea."

"Not at all," said Guy soothingly. "Beautiful invention—I quite pride myself on it—scientific suicide, you see! Any one can take poison, or blow his brains out; but to do it scientifically requires real talent. You have it, and I am confident you will reflect credit on my inventive skill. Now if you could use all three of these inventions at once—cut your jugular, garrote yourself, and blow your head off all at once—why, I'd thank you."

"What!" cried Mr. Maddox fiercely, "do you think I'm crazy? Do you think I'm going to use any of your infernal inventions? Leave this room, you cold blooded villain, before I throw you out of the window!"

"But I have a great many more to show you," remonstrated Guy, "and you see I want you to try as many as possible. Well, well," he added, as Mr. Maddox grasped the poker threateningly, "I'm going. But I'll leave this box here, and before you get rid of yourself just make a memorandum of what you will use and leave it on the table, because you know there will probably be nothing left of you to draw conclusions from, and so——"

Here any further speech was cut short by Mr. Maddox seizing his visitor and hustling him out into the passage.

"Well?" said Lizzie anxiously.

"I think its all right," said Guy, grinning. "Get the luncheon ready. Your uncle will be down."

And sure enough, so he was; and though he spoke not, he ate most voraciously of everything on the table.

"Lizzie," said he suddenly, after an hour's pause, "did you ever see an infernal old fool and an idiot?"

"Never that I know of," said Lizzie. "Why do you ask?"

"Because just look at me and you'll see one," said Mr. Maddox grimly, and he stalked upstairs.

Up to the present time of writing Mr. Cyrus Maddox is still alive, enjoying remarkably good health, and he seems to be on friendly terms with Mr. Cheevers and his wife Lizzie. He probably forgave that gentleman on account of a discovery that he made that the nitroglycerine torpedo contained nothing more dangerous than salt and the other "infernal inventions" were infernal in the same ratio; but Guy still maintains that when persons are weary of life they should end their troubles by scientific suicide.

How to get a woman to keep a secret—Give her chloroform.—Texas Siftings.

A RUSSIAN STORY.

The Cook Got 100 Lashes Before the Mistake Was Discovered.

Sometimes the promptness with which orders are executed in Russia causes big blunders to be made, and the innocent frequently suffer for the guilty.

One of the foreign ambassadors at St. Petersburg saw a man entering his house with gleaming eyes, flushed face, and disheveled clothing.

"Justice, your honor, justice!" exclaimed his unlucky countryman.

"Against whom?"

"Aganist a Russian nobleman, my lord, the governor of the city, who has just now had me flogged with a hundred lashes."

"A hundred lashes!" repeated the astonished minister. "What had you been doing?"

"Nothing, absolutely nothing."

"But that is impossible."

"I swear on my honor, your grace."

"You are crazy, my friend."

"My lord, I beg of you to believe on the contrary that I am in possession of all my senses."

"But how can you expect me to believe that a man who is reported on every hand to be exceptionally just and merciful has been guilty of such violence?"

"Excuse me, your grace," cried the complainant, "but you must permit me to prove what I have said."

And at these words the unlucky Frenchman threw off coat and vest and showed the ambassador his shirt, red and stiff with blood.

"But how did it happen?" asked the ambassador.

"In the simplest way imaginable. I learned that the governor wanted a cook. Being out of a situation, I applied for it. The servant who undertook to introduce me threw open the door of the room saying, 'My lord, it is the cook.' All right,' said the governor with an abstracted air, 'have him taken into the court yard and flogged.' They seized me, carried me into the yard, and in spite of my resistance, my threats, and my cries, they gave me exactly a hundred lashes, no more, no less."

"If what you say is true, it is infamous."

"If I have not told you the exact truth, I will agree to take as much more."

"Listen!" said the ambassador, detecting in the poor devil's complaint a tone of truthfulness. I will investigate the affair, and if, as I begin to think, you have not deceived me, you will get, I promise you, a slashing reward for this violence. If, on the other hand, you have lied to me in the slightest particular, I will have you conducted to the frontier and sent back to France."

"I will agree to the whole of it, my lord."

"Very well," said the ambassador, sitting down to his desk; "take a letter to the governor."

"No, no: I am obliged to you. I will not voluntarily set foot again in the house of a man who has so strange a fashion of dealing with those who have business with him."

"One of my secretaries will go with you."

"That is another thing. In company with any one from you I will go to the infernal regions."

The ambassador gave the necessary orders, and the trio left the house.

In less than an hour the victim of the beating returned looking radiant.

"Well!" asked the ambassador.

"It is all right," said the other, "everything is explained."

"To your satisfaction, apparently."

"Yes, my lord."

"I confess I would like to hear all about it."

"Nothing easier. His excellency had a cook in whom he had entire confidence. Four days ago he stole 500 roubles and ran away. It was his place I applied for, and went there for that purpose. Unluckily for me he had just heard of the arrest of his former cook, so that when his servant said to him 'My lord, here is the cook?' he thought it was the fugitive who had been brought back, and being very much engaged on a report to the emperor, he said without even turning around, 'Good, take him out, and give him 100 lashes!' and in that way I got the hundred meant for the other fellow."

"Did the governor make an apology?"

"Better than that," said the cook, chinking his pockets, "he gave me a gold piece for every stroke; has taken me into his service; and assured me that every lick I received in advance will be credited against every fault I may commit. So if I keep an eye on myself it will be several years before I get a thrashing."

At that moment a messenger from the governor arrived to invite the ambassador to taste the new cook's dinner next day. He staid 10 years with this master, and returned to France with a little fortune of 6,000 roubles, blessing the happy blunder to which he owed it.—Detroit Free Press.

A Simple One.

There's a teacher in one of the public schools of Detroit who is fond of quizzing her scholars, and one day lately she caught up a boy who thinks he could give a college curriculum 50 yards and beat it with his hands tied behind him.

"How many days in a week?" she asked him quite unexpectedly.

"Seven," was the prompt response.

"What are the week days?"

"Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday," he rattled off.

"How many is that?" she asked next.

"Six," he answered rather slowly, counting on his fingers.

"Isn't Sunday a week day?" she said cautiously.

"Of course not."

"Then how many days are there in a week?"

It was simple enough in all reason, but he had to go and get an almanac to get it straight.

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SECTION 14. The face of every ballot which shall be printed in accordance with the provisions of this act, shall contain the names and residences of all candidates whose nomination for any office specified in the ballot shall have been duly made, except such as may have died or withdrawn. The names of candidates shall be presented in the following manner and order:

In the case of certificates of nominations made by a convention of delegates or otherwise, as described in section two, representing a political party, which, at the election next preceding, polled at least three per centum of the highest entire vote cast in the State or electoral district or division thereof for which such nominations are made as described in section two, the names of all the candidates so nominated by such political party, shall be arranged in groups as presented in the several certificates of nomination, under the designation of the office, with the party, descriptive words or political appellation at the head of each group: such groups shall be printed in the order of the vote polled by each political party at the last preceding election, beginning with the party which secured the highest vote. In all other cases of nomination by nomination papers, the names of the candidates for each office shall be arranged under the designation of the office in alphabetical order, according to the surnames. There shall be left at the end of the list of candidates for each different office, (or under the title of the office itself for which an election is to be held, in case there be no candidates legally nominated therefor,) as many blank spaces as there are persons to be elected to such office, in which the voter may insert the name of any person whose name is not printed on the ballot, for whom he desires to vote as candidate for such office, and such insertion shall count as a vote without the cross-mark (x) hereinafter mentioned. Whenever the approval of a constitutional amendment or other question is submitted to the vote of the people, such questions shall be printed upon the ballot after the list of candidates.

The ballot shall be so printed as to give to each voter a clear opportunity to designate his choice of candidates by a cross-mark (x) in a sufficient margin at the right of the name of each candidate, and in like manner his answer to the questions submitted, and on the ballot may be printed instructions how to mark and such words as will aid the voter to do this, as "vote for one," "vote for three," "yes," "no", and the like: *Provided*, That a voter may designate his choice of all the candidates of a political party or group by one cross-mark in the margin to the right of the party name or political designation of such group, and such mark shall be equivalent to a mark against every name in the group.

SECTION 15. All the ballots used at the same voting place at any election shall be alike, and shall be at least six inches long and four inches wide; they shall be printed with the same kind or kinds of type, (which shall not be smaller than the size known as "brevier" or "eight point body,") upon white paper, without any impression or mark to distinguish one from another, except as expressly authorized herein or by the Constitution of this Commonwealth. Each ballot shall be attached to a stub or counterfoil, and all the ballots for the same voting place shall be bound together in convenient numbers in books, in such manner that each ballot may be detached and removed separately.

A diagonal folding-line shall be printed on the right hand upper corner of the back of each ballot, and the said corner shall be edged with adhesive paste so that the corner, when folded at the folding-line, can be securely fastened down over the number now required by the Constitution of the Commonwealth, so that the said number cannot be seen without unfastening or cutting open the part so fastened down. The top of each ballot shall have a margin of equal size on both back and face, and the said folding-line shall be upon this margin, but nothing else shall be printed thereon except instructions how to mark: *Provided*, That if at any time the said Constitution shall cease to require ballots to be numbered, the foregoing requirements as to the folding-line, the margin and the adhesive paste shall be void.

On the back of each ballot, or on the right hand side of the back, if the ballot is printed in two columns, there shall be printed as a caption, 'official ballot for" followed by the designation of the voting place for which the ballot is prepared, the date of the election and a facsimile of the signatures of the county commissioners of the respective counties who have caused the ballots to be printed, unless they have been printed by township or borough auditors. A record of the number of ballots printed and furnished to each voting place shall be kept and preserved by the county commissioners of the several counties. When it is shown by affidavit that mistake or omission has occurred in the publication of names or description of candidates, or in the printing of the ballots, the court of common pleas of the district or county or any judge thereof, may, upon the application of any qualified elector of the district or county, require the county commissioners to correct the mistake or omission, or to show cause why they should not.

SECTION 16. The county commissioners of each county shall provide for each election district in which an election is to be held, except in elections for township and borough offices, two sets of such ballots, each of not less than seventy-five for every fifty and fraction of fifty voters therein, as contained upon the assessors list. They shall also prepare full instructions for the guidance of voters as to obtaining ballots, as to the manner of marking them and the method of gaining assistance, and as to obtaining new ballots in place of those accidentally spoiled, and they shall respectively cause the same, together with copies of sections thirty-one to thirty-six, inclusive, of this act, to be printed in large, clear type on separate cards to be called cards of instruction. They shall also cause to be printed on tinted paper and without the facsimile endorsements, an equal number of copies of the form of the ballot provided for each voting place at each election therein, which shall be called specimen ballots; and at each election they shall furnish to each voting place, together with the ballots to be used there, a sufficient number of cards of instruction and specimen ballots for use as required in section twenty-one of this act. They shall also provide for each election district, at every election therein, two copies of the assessor's lists of voters and shall deliver the same as such lists are now delivered, one copy to be called the "ballot check list," for the inspectors in charge of the ballots, and the other copy to be called the "voting check list" to be used in marking the name of those who have voted and the numbers of their ballots as now required by law.

SECTION 17. The two sets of ballots, together with the specimen ballots and cards of instruction printed by the county commissioners as herein provided, shall be packed by them in separate, sealed packages with marks on the outside clearly designating the election districts for which they are intended and the number of ballots of each kind enclosed.

They shall then be sent by the county commissioners of the respective counties, separately and at different times or by different methods, to the judges of election at the several voting places so as to be received by them, one set on the Saturday before the day of election, and the other set on the Monday before the day of election. The respective judges shall, on delivery to them of such packages, return receipts therefor to the commissioners, who shall keep a record of the time when and the manner in which the several packages are sent, and shall preserve for the period of one year the receipts of the said judges of election. For elections of officers of townships and boroughs and of election officers and school directors in the same, the auditor shall provide for each election district, seventy-five ballots for every fifty and fraction of fifty voters on the assessor's list, and an equal number of specimen ballots, and shall obtain from the county commissioners the requisite cards of instruction, which shall be delivered with the ballots to the judges of election the day before the day of election.

SECTION 18. In case the ballots to be furnished to any voting place in accordance with the provisions of this act, shall fail for any reason to be duly delivered, or in case after delivery they shall be destroyed or stolen, it shall be the duty of the judge of election of such voting place to cause other ballots to be prepared substantially in the form of the ballots so wanting, and upon receipt of such other ballots from him accompanied by a statement, under oath, that the same have been so prepared and furnished by him and that the original ballots have so failed to be received or have been so destroyed or stolen, the election officers shall cause the ballots so substituted to be used in lieu of the ballots wanting as above. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners of each county to mail complete specimens of the ballots and other necessary papers, by registered letter, to the judge of elections of each election district, at least four days before the election, to enable him to comply with the directions of this section.

SECTION 19. The county commissioners of each county shall provide for each election district therein, at each election, a room large enough to be fitted up with voting shelves and a guard rail as hereinafter provided. If in any district no such room can be rented or otherwise obtained, the said commissioners shall cause to be constructed for such district, a temporary room of adequate size to be used as a voting room; they shall also cause all the said rooms to be suitably provided with heat and light and with a sufficient number of voting shelves or compartments at or in which voters may conveniently mark their ballots, so that in the marking thereof they may be screened from the observation of others, and a guard-rail shall be so constructed and placed that only such persons as are inside said rail can approach within six feet of the ballot box and of such voting shelves or compartments. The arrangement shall be such that neither the ballot box nor the voting booths shall be hidden from view of those just outside the said guard-rail. The number of such voting shelves or compartments shall not be less than one for every fifty names on the assessor's lists, but shall not, in any case, be less than three for the voters qualified to vote at such voting place. No persons, other than the election officers and voters admitted as hereinafter provided, shall be permitted within the said rail, except by authority of the election officers for the purpose of keeping order and enforcing the law. Each voting shelf or compartment shall be kept provided with proper supplies and conveniences for marking the ballots.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1891.

About the only people who are showing any interest in a constitutional convention, are a few editors who want a pull at the State Treasury for publishing a new constitution after it is framed, as required by law.

WRIGHT ON TAXATION.

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE OPENS THE CAMPAIGN.

The Democratic campaign was opened at Greensburg, with a rousing mass meeting which was largely attended by the farmers of Westmoreland county. Robert E. Wright, the party candidate for Auditor General, made an eloquent speech, in which he defined the basis upon which the equalization of taxes can be effected so as to relieve those interested in agricultural pursuits from the burdens they are obliged to bear at present. Mr. Wright said:

There is no branch of legislation in which the power of an influence other than the will of the people to shape its course has been more forcibly illustrated than in the matter of the tax laws of your State. One of the worst results of the system of special legislation existing before the adoption of the present Constitution was the condition of our tax laws. The whole ssytem was but a patchwork of special acts enacted from time to time to meet temporary emergencies.

There was an absolute want of uniformity of objects and rate of taxation and of machinery for their collection. The system of collecting a State tax on real estate based on local assessments had fostered a practice of undervaluations resulting in the grossest injustice, and sometimes in absolute fraud.

CAUSED A PUBLIC SCANDAL.

This mequality existed not only as between counties, but between townships and towns in the same county, and finally became so general as to create a public scandal. High nominal rates on low valuations in some districts created the impression, by comparison with other districts, of overtaxation. This feeling was intensified by the palpable and indisputable fact that the personal property of the State was escaping taxation entirely, and that while the burdens of State government were borne by the corporations, yet the much heavier burdens of local government were borne entirely by the owners of real estate.

Naturally the feeling of unrest and dissatisfaction became strongest among the farmers of the State. They were most heavily burdended while they were least able to bear it. It is true that the nominal rates of taxation on real estate in cities may have been higher than on farms, yet it was undeniable that the farmers were carrying the heaviest burden. For when you taxed the real estate of a farmer you taxed him upon all he was worth. His farm, as a rule, constituted his entire possessions. When you taxed that, none of his means escaped, for he had none other. Aye, the probability was that the farm was mortgaged, but he got no credit on that score.

In cities and towns this was not the case. When you taxed a city merchant, manufacturer, lawyer or banker on his real estate you reached but a small proportion of his wealth; the bulk escaped. These facts stared people in the face when the constitution of 1873 was adopted providing that thereafter taxes should be uniform and levied under general laws

THE FARMERS' RIGHTS IGNORED.

Ever since then for fifteen years, the people having been insisting that the spirit of this provision of the Constitution should be enforced, but year after year has the Legislature refused their petition. Stronger and stronger has become the demand as year by year the Legislature refused to heed the farmers' demands.

Governor Pattison in the first term of his administration pressed the Legislature to meet this demand, but they refused. Bill after bill was defeated or buried, until finally a bill actually pssed the Legislature. but was lost or mislaid in some mysterious way. Finally, at the last session of the Legislature, and as a result of the farmers' revolt last year, a bill was passed that may afford some temporary measure of relief. But it comes far from meeting the demands of the constitution. It fails utterly to meet the just position of the farmers, that taxation should be equal and upon all classes of property. Thus, for all this time has the Legislature failed to respond to and reflect the will of the masses in a government which, theoretically, is a government by the people.

Last winter I appeared before the House and Senate Committee on behalf of a client to present an argument against one provision of the Taggart bill—a provision which they deemed unconstitutional, and which they claimed would result in inequality of taxation—and I there endeavored to impress upon them the thoughts to which I have just given expression. I objected to one provision of the bill as unwise and unconstitutional; but I declared that, in my judgment, corporations are not paying their proportion of taxes and the farmers were paying too much. I presented to the committee the outlines of a bill that would have met all the objections urged against the Taggart bill by its enemies. I know that the sincere friends of that reform on both committees approved of my suggestions, but were powerless to adopt them.

If the principles outlined in that argument had been followed you would have had true tax equalization, but it was not. By almost a strict party vote in Senate and House the Taggart bill was thrown out by the Republican bosses, and yet these men ask that farmers shall vote for them again. I am before the people of Pennsylvania to-day to regret no single word spoken, and to withdraw no principle announced in that argument. I present to the farmers of Pennsylvania as my plea in favor of that equalization of taxation for which they have so long fought.

A Reliable Assistant.

The poet and the almanac-maker agree that all seasons have their signs, but those of spring are most active and insistent. It is then, also, that nature throws off the lethargy of winter and prepares to renew her bounties. It is then, also, that nature attempts to throw off the impurities that have lain dormant in the human system. This effort manifests itself in various ways—in the increased activity of old affections, in the appearance of boils, carbuncles and other eruptions, and in the various symptoms so familiar to those who have suffered. It is at this period that nature finds an active and a trustworthy assistant in S S. S., which, in the work of purifying the blood and strengthening the system, has proven to be the most perfect spring medicine ever offered to the public.

WHERE IS THE TIN PLATE.

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CANNERS PAY $5,000,000 IN INCREASED TAXES, EVERY CENT OF WHICH GOES TO THE SPECULATORS IN WALES.

WASHINGTON, October 14.

Congressman T. L. Bunting, of Hamburg, N. Y., was here recently on his way from New York. where he attended a meeting of the heaviest consumers of tin plate in the the United States, with a view of running down the "tin plate liars" and locating some of the numerous tin plate concerns which the Republican papers of the country are exploiting.

The meeting was entirely non-political. Its object was to secure reliable data concerning the state of the tin plate industry. Mr. Bunting says that a year ago both Major McKinley and Senator Allison assured a committee of the consumers of tin plate that within a year from October 6, 1890, when the tariff bill went into effect, forty American tin plate factories would be running and turning out all the tin plate required for consumption in this country.

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"The year is up," continued Mr. Bunting, "and I defy any man to find one solitary box of tin plate that has been manufactured in this country. French & Company have a standing offer to pay 15 per cent. above the market price for 10,000 boxes of American tin plate. There have been sporadic efforts to produce a little terne plate in Ohio and elsewhere for political effect, but it is of a very poor quality, contains a great deal of lead and very little tin. Though it can be used for roofing, it is not only absolutely useless, but proven poisonous for canning purposes."

"What is the extent of the industries affected by the tin-plate duty?"

"I have made careful estimates," replied Mr. Bunting, "and you will be surprised to learn that it affects, directly or indirectly, 3 per cent. of the inhabitants of the United States who are engaged in planting or growing fruits, packing or boxing vegetables, meats, oysters, fish etc. Two million people are directly or indirectly interested, and every family is more or less of a consumer."

THE MONEY GOES ABROAD.

"How much have the consumers paid this year as a result of the tax?"

"In the first instance the figures are accurate; in the second approximate. There are 2,000 canning establishments in this country. They alone have paid $5,000,000 in the increased cost of tin plate. This raises the price of every can or piece of canned goods from a half to a cent of the wholesaler. The wholesaler and the retailer each still further advance the price that it is difficult to tell just how much the final consumer, who eventually pays it all, has been mulcted. I want to impress also the fact that the United States did not get from us the five million we have paid directly in the increase cost of tin plate. The speculators in Wales reaped the harvest.

Pennsylvania Game Laws.

The appended synopsis of the Game and Fish Laws of Pennsylvania has been carefully compiled and revised up to date and is believed to be correct:

Elk and deer may be killed from October 1 to December 15; but, owing to an error, it is illegal to have deer in possession after November 30. The killing of fawns when in spotted coat, chasing of elks or deer with hounds, and the killing of deer when in the water prohibited.

Squirrels, September 1 to January 1.

Hares or rabbits, November 1 to January 1. Hunting or killing of rabbits with ferrets prohibited.

Wild turkeys, October 15 to January 1.

Plovers, July 15 to January 1.

Woodcocks, July, 4 to January 1.

Quails, November 1 to December 15.

Ruffed and pinnated grouse, October 1 to January 1.

Rails or reed birds, September 1 to December 1.

Wildfowl, September 1 to May 1. Insectivorous birds protected, except English sparrows. Pigeon nestings protected against fire arms to a radius of one fourth mile from roosting or brooding place, and penalty for disturbance in any manner while nesting; and snaring or netting for the purpose of killing during the nesting season prohibited. Snaring, netting or catching of game birds by torchlight prohibited. Sunday hunting and shooting prohibited. Shooting of wildfowl limited to use of shoulder gun only.

Fish.—Sea Salmon, April 1 to July 1.

Speckled trout, April 15 to July 15; under five inches in length protected.

Lake trout, January 1 to October 1.

Black, green, yellow, willow, rock, Lake Erie and grass bass, pike, pickerel, and wall-eyed pike or Susquehanna salmon, June 1 to January 1. Bass less than six inches in length protected.

German carp, September 1 to May 1. Artificially stocked streams protected for three years after stocking. Hook and line fishing only allowed; use of nets or traps of any kind. poisons, etc., prohibited.

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SHERIFF,
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ANDREW L. FRITZ.
OF COLUMBIA.

JURY COMMISSIONER.
M. B. McHENRY.

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DR. F. W. REDEKER.

POULTRY NOTES.

No. 34.

Q. What male would be most desirable for crossing with common hens?

Ans. That depends on what result is required. If you desire eggs, a Red Cap, Leghorn or Minorca would be a good cross, if you wish to raise broilers'; the Plymouth Rock, Wyandotte or some large, quick growing stock should be used.

Q. What color should the legs of a pure bred Plymouth Rock be, and should there be any feathers on the leg?

Ans. The color of leg may vary from light to dark yellow, but must invariably be yellow.

No. There should be no feathers on the leg.

Q. By crossing two non-setting breeds, will they be good layers and will they be non-setters?

Ans. Yes, they would be good layers, but as a result from such a cross, you would get those that would set.

Q. Will kerosene kill lice on chickens?

Ans. Yes. It is one of the most effective lice exterminators we have, but don t put it on the fowl. Use it on the perches, and cracks and crevices of nest boxes &c. Dust the fowl with insect powder.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

I, JOHN B. CASEY, High Sheriff of Columbia county, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in the said county of Columbia, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1891

(being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month) for the purpose of electing the several persons hereinafter named, to-wit:

One person for Auditor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

One person for Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Twenty-seven persons for delegates at large to the Constitutional Convention of Pennsylvania (no voter to vote for more than eighteen.)

Three persons for delegates from the 24th Senatorial district to the Constitutional Convention of Pennsylvania (no voter to vote for more than two.)

To vote "For a Constitutional Convention" or "Against a Constitutional Convention."

One person for Associate Judge of Columbia County.

One person for Sheriff of Columbia County.

Two persons for Jury Commissioners of Columbia county.

One person for Coroner of Columbia county.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places of holding the aforesaid election in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the county of Columbia are as follows, viz:

Beaver township, at the public house of C. A Shuman.

Benton township, at the public house of Lemuel Drake, in the town of Benton.

East Berwick, at the little office of the Jackson & Woodin M'f'g Co., in Berwick.

West Berwick, at the office of J. G. Jacoby in Berwick.

East Bloom, at the Court House, east side, in Bloomsburg.

West Bloom, at the Court House, west side, in Bloomsburg.

Briarcreek township, at the public school house near Evansville.

Catawissa township, at the public house of G. W. Reifsnyder, in the town of Catawissa.

Borough of Centralia, at the public house of Michael Brennan.

Centre township, at the school house near Lafayette Creasy's.

North Conyngham District at the township school house near the colliery of John Anderson & Co.

South Conyngham district at the house of Mrs. Thos. Monroe.

Fishingcreek township, at the school house near C. R. White's.

Franklin township, at the Lawrence school house.

East Greenwood at the house of Wm. Black in Rohrsburg.

West Greenwood at the house of J. R. Rice in Millville.

Hemlock township at the house of Charles Dieterich, in the town of Buckhorn.

Jackson township, at the public school house at Waller.

Locust township at the public house of Nathan Knorr, in Numidia.

Madison township at the public school house in Jerseytown.

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Montour township, at the public house of Emandus Unangst at Rupert.

Mt. Pleasant township, at the Millertown public school house.

Orange township, at the public house of Albert Heckman in Orangeville.

Pine township, at the Centre school house.

Roaringcreek township, at the house of Samuel Leiby.

East Scott at the public house of M. Q. White in Espy.

West Scott at the public house of J. L. Crawford, in Lightstreet.

North Sugarloaf, at the public house of E. P. Albertson.

South Sugarloaf, at the house of Albert Cole.

Polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and shall continue open without interruption or adjournment until seven o'clock p. m. when the polls will be closed.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That every person excepting Justices of the Peace and Aldermen, Notaries Public and Persons in the militia service of the State who shall hold or shall within two months have held any office or appointment of profit or trust under the United States, or of this State, and city or corporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, or subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the Legislature, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State or of any city or of any incorporated district, and also, that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district, are by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of such election shall be eligible to be then voted for.

The Inspectors and Judge of the election shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of those Inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

The qualified voters of this county are hereby authorized and required to vote by ticket printed, written or partly written or partly printed and partly written: One ticket shall embrace the names of all Judges of Courts, voted for, and to be labelled outside "Judiciary," one ticket shall embrace the names of all State officers voted for, and to be labelled "State," one ticket shall embrace the names of all county officers voted for, including office of Senator, Members of Assembly and Member of Congress, and to be labelled "County," and each class be deposited in separate ballot-boxes.

JOHN B. CASEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Bloomsburg, Oct. 8, 1891.

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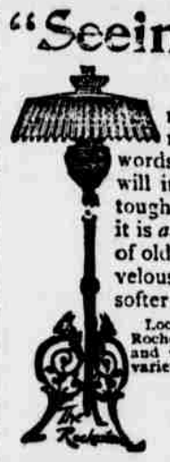

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CENTRALIA SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Arguments were heard by the court last week Wednesday evening in the Centralia School Board case, and on Thursday morning Judge Ikeler filed an opinion removing the directors and appointing others in their stead, as will be seen by reference to the "Court Proceedings" in this paper. The new board has elected teachers, and the schools are all in operation. The opinion is printed in full below:

OPINION.

The petition is signed by more than the required number of taxable citizens of the district according to the Act of Assembly of May 8, 1854.

The complaint sets forth, "That the Board of School Directors had agreed by resolution passed the 20th day of July, 1891, to open the schools on the 31st day of August last."

"That although the time is passed for the opening of said schools, the said board of school directors have failed, neglected and refused to employ a sufficient number of teachers for the said public schools and do still fail, refuse and neglect to employ a sufficient number of teachers for said public schools, etc., etc."

The evidence shows conclusively that the schools of the district are not in operation so far as the means of the district will admit, and at every hearing in the case, we have publicly expressed our regret that the directors could not agree upon the selection and appointment of the requisite number of teachers to so operate the schools, and we also at such hearings urged upon the counsel engaged in the case, the necessity of its speedy determination.

The minutes of the Board show that Mr. Heffner, the principal, or local superintendent of the schools was elected by acclamation, but do not show who, or which ones of the directors, nor how many gave such expression of assent. All other teachers were voted for and, so far as any choice or selections were made it was done by secret ballot. Hence we hold all to have been illegally appointed. The recording, or entering, of the names of the members of the Board voting both in the affirmative and negative, is of substance and must be strictly complied with and unless this appears upon the minutes of the board as of the meeting when the voting took place, the action of the board in the appointment of teachers must be declared a nullity. This provision of the law is considered by the courts to be a wise and important one and must be strictly complied with. Directors cannot even correct such an omission at a subsequent meeting of the board nor can it be explained away or made right by evidence other than the record, or minutes of the board at the meeting when and where the voting occurred. See Barber vs. Wilhelm et. al. 7 C. C. 214, and Dyberry School District vs. Mercer 115 Pa. St. 599, and Tobin vs. Morgan 70 Pa. St. 229 is not in conflict with the two first cases cited, nor the principle above ruled.

Some of the schools of the district remain closed for want of agreement between the directors upon the selection of teachers for such schools, and the authority of right of those teachers who are operating such schools as are open is denied by three members of the Board of Directors.

On the question of appointment of some teachers necessary for the successful operation of the schools and the mode of appointment of the whole, there is a difference of opinion among the directors which has up to the present time resulted in a "dead lock" in their proceedings and an utter failure to solve the difficulty according to law. Three of the directors voting one way and three the other, on those questions always resulting in a tie vote.

Ample time has been given for them to come to an agreement and frequent efforts have been made by them to do so, all resulting in failure. While we do not impugn the motives of either, but are convinced that they have wholly failed to keep the public schools in operation so far as the means of the District will admit we deem it incumbent upon us, under the Act of Assembly of 1854 and the rulings of the courts in like cases, to declare their seats vacant and appoint others in their stead, until the next annual election for directors.

In doing this we hold, contrary to the views of counsel for three of the respondents, viz: Keller, Williams and Davis, that we do not violate their right and trial by jury. The Act of 1854 clearly contemplates and authorizes our action.

It is also in the wise discretion of School Directors whether or not they will appoint teachers holding the higher grade of certificate, and they may exercise such discretion any time before the teachers are legally appointed notwithstanding their agreement by resolution to the contrary.

It is conceded that the custom for years has been to appoint teachers by secret ballot, and it is urged by counsel for Williams, Davis and Keller that such custom renders the appointment of teachers valid. Perhaps this view would be held correct between the teachers and the District after full performance of duties by the teachers without notice or question of the legality of the Directors—at the time of, or before, the vote for the appointment of teachers, and before such teachers assume the duties of their appointment—give notice to the other three Directors and to the teachers that such appointment is void, neither the Directors nor the District can be bound by such appointments.

Even if such custom had prevailed through the ignorance of the senior members of the Board, upon their learning that it was illegal, they would not be bound by it if opposed and corrected or discontinued at the time of meeting.

Much less would the Directors who but recently come into the Board be bound by it, and especially Nertney, one of the protesting members who was elected Feby. 3, 1891.

Therefore the petition filed Sept. 19, 1891, is adjudged true and it is ordered and adjudged that the seats of Edward Williams, David E. Keller, G. W. Davis, John Nertney, Edward Dempsey and C. G Murphy as School Directors of the Centralia School District be and the same are hereby declared vacant, and Andrew Gallagher, J. R. Porter, M. J. Ryan, C. E. Hicks, Patrick Curran, and John B. Ervin are appointed School Directors of the Centralia School District, instead of the Directors removed, until the next annual election for Directors.

BY THE COURT.

Oct. 8th. 1891.

He said: "My love I am sorry to disappoint you about the picnic, but my trotter has a lame foot." That's nothing! we've got plenty of Salvation oil.

The detroit Free Press Fiend has been punning on Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup His is only gratitude, for all thinking men know its merits.—(Exch.)

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office Oct. 27, 1891.

Miss Vernie Crawford. Mrs. Eliza Seybert, Thomas Swisher.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised Oct. 13, 1891.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C. Oct., 16, 1891

Does Mr. Blaine intend to resume the duties of Secretary of State? This is a question easier asked than answered. If anybody in Washington, from Harrison down, hnows anything of the real intention of Mr. Blaine the knowledge is so well kept that it has not leaked out, and it is extremely improbable that any such knowledge exists. Guesses have been plenty, but facts have not been behind them. First Mr. Blaine was to return in September, then in October, and now the guessers say that he will be here in November. A personal friend of Blaine's, who is not in politics, said yesterday in a guarded sort of a way which was taken to imply a great deal: "I have an idea that after the State elections are over Mr. Blaine may decide to retire from the Cabinet and go to Southern California or Mexico for the Winter." Although this gentleman denied having any authority from Mr. Blaine for expressing such an idea, it is nevertheless believed by those who know the relations between the two men that he would never have said such a thing unless he knew that some such steps were at least contemplated. Mr. Harrison is thought to be entirely in the dark as to Mr. Blaine's future movements, indeed it is stated here that he says that he has had no direct communication from Mr. Blaine for months. It is truly an odd sort of a situation.

If promises were equal to good deeds Secretary Foster would have long ago been the possessor of a white robe and a golden harp. He has always been a good promiser; therefore it is not surprising that he should have agreed with the New York merchants as to the existence of evils in the administration of the business of the New York Custom House, and promise to correct them all. This promise he relies upon to make some votes for Fasset, and after the election he can keep it or not just as he may feel disposed. Having done that much for Fasset he will proceed to Ohio to see what promises will do there for McKinley.

Representative Bunting, of New York, who is President of the New York State Packers Association, is in Washington. He is engaged in gathering facts to be presented to Congress when the question of repealing the present tin plate tariff comes up, as it is certain to do. Mr. Bunting says he intends to expose the imposture practiced upon Maj. McKinley and Senator Allison, whom he believes to be honest men, by the members of the forty firms, alledged to compose the American Tin Plate Association, who told the members of the Senate and House Committees that within one year they would be manufacturing all the tin plate consumed in the United States He believes these men to be actuated solely by political motives, as not one of the firms has even attempted to fulfill their promises. Mr. Bunting says he has direct information to the effect that Maj. McKinley is deeply mortified because the promises made to him by these men, which he believed and acted upon, have not been kept; and he thinks that both McKinley and Allison owe it to the country to help undo the wrong they were persuaded by false promises to do.

Secretary Proctor is again absent from his department, but come to think about it, such a common thing is hardly worth mentioning

The administration is casting longing eyes towards the Sandwich Islands, just as John Bull has sometime and it is said here that Acting Rear Admiral Brown, now in Chilian waters, is under orders to proceed, as soon as he is relieved, to Honolulu to negotiate for the control of the Island by the United States. Admiral Brown has been selected for this task because of his popularity with the Queen and the people of the Hawaiian Islands It is a dangerous business, and may lead to war with England.

Although Mr. Harrison has publicly declined to violate the law by directing that the republican voters in the departments be allowed to go home to vote without having the time lost deducted from their pay, it is privately understood that they may go—in fact they must go, and that some way will be found to prevent their pay being docked.

The Methodists are having everything their own way in Washington since last Wednesday when their great Ecumenical Conference, with five hundred delegates, representing every part of the civilized world, met to consider matters pertaining to their church. Socially, the doors of the good Washingtonians are open to the visitors and religiously, the pulpits of most of the churches, irrespective of denomination, are open to them. At first it looked as though the ever present "nigger" problem would intrude its ugly head and make trouble because some of the Washington hotel keepers refused to entertain negro preachers; but good sense prevailed, the darkeys were comfortably quartered elsewhere, and the matter was not allowed to come up in the conference, although some of the delegates were just boiling over about it.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve, bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Connicticut Over The Fince.

HOW GENERAL BUTLER DISCIPLINED A BODY OF RIOTOUS RECRUITS.

When General Butler was on special recruiting service in New England in the fall of 1851, the governor of Connecticut met him one day and told him there was a partially completed regiment of Irishmen in camp near Hartford, which he wished Butler would take off his hands. Butler did so, and sent them by rail to his own camp at Lowell. They were a hilarious lot, and so delayed the train that it missed connection at Groton Junction, and was detained for some hours. The men left the train and foraged the village. Finding a barrel of whiskey, they got gloriously drunk, and when the train started for Lowell late in the evening, the soldiers were lying along in the cars "like sardines in boxes," says Butler in his forthcoming book. The mayor of Lowell heard they were coming and wanted to swear in a hundred special policemen right away. Butler heard of it, and told the mayor to do no such thing, and he would see that there was no trouble.

The train stopped beside the camp ground, and with much difficulty the men were pushed, led, and carried into the enclosure, which was surrounded by a high board fence. Here they lay on the ground till along toward morning, when they began stirring about and discussing the situation. At length a gang of some forty or fifty raised the cry, "Over the fince! Connicticut over the fince!" and making a scattering rush, they started to climb the fence.

But no sooner did the first man reach the top and swing over to lower himself down, than he felt the point of a bayonet in what General Butler discribes as the "most proddable portion of his body." With a yell, he drew himself up again, only to discover that his formost comrades were faring like wise. General Butler, foreseeing an attempt to run away, had instructed the sentinels just what tactics to pursue. The would-be escapers sat on the top of the fence for a few minutes, and swore in the most vigorous Anglo-Saxon possible; then, again warned by the bayonet points, they dropped down on the inside and stayed there.

In the morning the regiment was formed in hollow square and General Butler addressed them. He told them that frolicking time was now over, and that discipline henceforth would be strict as a ramrod. He sent for the sentinel who had been the first to use his bayonet on the fence climbers, and promoted him to a sergeancy in the presence of the regiment.

"Now," said he, "tonight the sentinels will be instructed as they were last night, except that instead of using the bayonet, they will shoot. And the first of them that kills a fence climber, I will make a lieutenant"

That Connecticut regiment, says Butler, was after that one of the finest and best disciplined he ever had. They went with him to Ship Island, and New Orleans. While they were on Ship Island, a detachment of them was sent to a distant point one foggy morning. Suddenly looming through the fog, a body of troops appeared a little way off. Uncertain whether they were to meet friend or foe, the men stood with their muskets in readiness.

"Sure, I believe thim's the Twenty-Sixth's boys, captain," whispered a sergent. "Jist let me try 'em with the countersign, please?"

"The countersign, Mike: What do you mean?"

"Oh, aisy, captain; jist this," and raising his voice, he shouted, "Connicticut over the fince!"

A general shout of laughter and recognition came from the other side. The strangers were another party of their own men, and all danger of a collision was averted.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES,

When asked if all diseases were curable if treated early, said "Yes, but some diseases began two hundred years ago" Precisely—no one knows when scrofula and specific diseases began. We only know that we inherit skin diseases, king's evil, rheumatism, boils, abscesses, white swellings, &c., and the medical world is just learning that Cactus Blood Cure is the one only infallible vegetable neutralizer of these blood taints.

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G. A. McKelvy, Druggist, Bloomsburg Pa.

Miss Lillie Doak has just returned from Philadelphia with a full line of all the latest styles. She is now ready to make up all the latest dress suits.

Unless more care is given to the hair, the coming man is liable to be a hairless animal; hence, to prevent the hair from falling use Hall's Hair Renewer.

The Sacrament of the Holy Communion will be administered as follows:

Briercreek Oct. 25, at 2.30 p. m.; Zion Nov. 1, at 10,30 a. m.; Orangville Nov. 8, at 10,30 a. m.; St. James Nov. 15, at 10,15 a. m.; Hidlay Nov. 22, at 10,40 a. m. Preparatory service on Saturday at 2,30 p. m.

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SAFE-DEPOSIT BOXES.

The vault of the Farmers National Bank contains fifty lock boxes, which are for rent at prices ranging from $3.00 to $6 00 a year. There are two keys to each box, one of which is left at the bank and one is carried by the owner of the box. Neither can open the box until the other is inserted. More than half have already been rented. tf.

Miss H. E. Wasley's fall opening was largely attended. She still has a fine line of millinery goods to select from. All the latest styles in fall hats and bonnets. 2t.

It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay Street., Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free Trial Bottles at C. A. Kleim's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and $1.00.

I have been a great sufferer from dry catarrh for many years, and I tried many remedies, but none did me so much benefit as Ely's Cream Balm. It completely cured me. M. J. Lally, 39 Woodward Ave., Boston Highlands, Mass.

After using Ely's Cream Balm two months I was surprised to find that the right nostril, which was closed for over twenty yearss was open and free as the other, and can use it now as I could not do for many years. I feel very thankful.—R. H. Cressengham, 275 18th St., Brooklyn. 10-16 2t.

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Have now on sale full and complete lines **dress goods, shawls, ladies' misses' and children's coats, blankets, flannels, hosiery, gloves, underwear, velvets, plushes and silks.**

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Hosiery, Underwear, all the leading qualities and prices. See our 50c ladies vest.

Blankets and Flannels: See our red and white flannels. Try the 25c yd. flannel. More of those *blankets* at 85, 1.00 and 1.25 pair. Bed comfortables from 1.00 up.

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Dress Trimmings, large lines at popular prices.

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L. Gross has just returned from New York and Philadelphia with a fine line of Fall and Winter Clothing, he is selling very low, call at the N. Y. Clothing Store.

Do you want a suit or an overcoat, if you do, it is money saved to buy of Gross the N. Y. clothier.

What a nice stock of Boys' and Children's Clothing at Gross' N. Y. Store.

It is yours, come and get it, a nice Fine suit or Overcoat very low at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Hats and Caps, Trunks, &c. in endless variety at Gross' N. Y. Store.

I mean you, if you don't buy your Clothing of Gross of the N. Y. store, it is because you have more money than you know what to do with. Call in and see him, a dollar saved is a dollar made.

For a good Cheviot suit go to Gross, he is the cheapest.

A large stock of Fancy pantaloons at Gross' N. Y. Store.

Who says? Everybody says that L. Gross has the best clothing for the least money, call in.

For Children's Little Wagons, Rocking Horses, Carts and Wheelbarrows, call at the New York Novelty Store, as we have a complete line to select from

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Ladies' and Misses' Handkerchiefs at New York Novelty Store. Ladies' Hosiery, four pairs for 25 cents and up.

For Dolls go to the New York Novelty Store. A big stock and great variety.

It will pay to call ot the New York Novelty Store for Queensware, Chinaware, Glassware, Tinware, and Household Furnishing Goods.

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Full line of school supplies at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

Black cheviot suits are popular, you can have a cutaway or sack coat, double or single breasted, round or square corners at

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Have you seen the new neckties in Lowenberg's window.

The new Block of stiff hats can be seen at Lowenberg's.

Do you contemplate having a suit made? If you are, go to a practical man, where you can see the goods in the piece. Do not buy from samples as all goods look different in the piece. A fine line of goods for suits, spring overcoats and pantaloons, cut to your measure, made on our own premises, under the personal supervision of J. R. Townsend, at D. LOWENBERG's.

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Telegraphic Notes of Interest Briefly Told.

HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE.

Small but Nutritious—The News of the World From Pole to Pole Carefully Culled and Boiled Down for Busy Readers Throughout the Country.

Wednesday, Oct. 7.

Snow fell at Miller, S. D., yesterday, and there was frost in Northern Minnesota.

A six-year-old boy was yesterday literally devoured by hogs at Vincennes, Ind.

The International Methodist Congress opening at Washington to-day represents 45,000,000 Methodists.

A fire at Braddock, Pa., yesterday, caused by a lamp explosion, destroyed a row of frame houses. James McGuire, who was asleep at the time, was burned to death.

The heirs of Anneke Jans organized at Kansas City yesterday into an international organization for the purpose of raising money to conduct the suit against Trinity Church, New York.

Judge Coffey, of San Francisco, in his final account as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Hopkins-Searles, states that the estate in California is valued at $2,000,000, and brings in a rental of $5,000 per month.

A big freight train robbery is reported on the Milwaukee road between Lake City and Red Wing, Minn., on Saturday night. A large number of railroad detectives are working in that vicinity. It is said that sealskins and fine imported shawls worth several thousand dollars were in the booty secured by the robbers.

About 1,000 men, painters, plasterers, carpenters, masons and metal workers, are out on a strike at Halifax, N. S., with no prospects of a settlement.

Thursday, Oct. 8.

Anson Hamilton, proprietor of the Cape May House and the Shoreham Hotel at Cape May, has failed. His liabilities are fixed at $100,000, with assets said to be sufficient to meet them.

Fire yesterday in the Manhattan distillery at Peoria, Ill., caused a damage of $400,000.

There is still great alarm regarding the wheat crop of Northern Minnesota and Northern Dakota.

Three trackwalkers were killed yesterday in the Union tunnel, Baltimore.

Twenty-five houses at Columbus Junction, Iowa, were burned, the result of an incendiary fire. The loss will be $150,000.

A movement is on foot, which will probably take shape at the meeting of the Western Colorado Congress, to divide that State.

Expert Accountant William F. Rogers has found a deficit of $24,000 in the accounts of ex-County Treasurer Morgan of Towson, Md.

Arrangements for the consecration of Rev. Phillips Brooks as Bishop of the diocese of Massachusetts are completed. The consecration will take place next Wednesday.

After being dumb for seventeen years, the effect of illness, Otto Wirthner of Youngstown, Ohio, yesterday surprised himself and friends by regaining full power of speech.

Friday, Oct. 9.

Water froze to the thickness of an inch at Carlton, Minn., Tuesday night.

The Lake Mohonk Indian Agent Conference opened yesterday at Lake Mohonk, N. Y.

The Grand Trunk Railroad Company has raised the wages of its employes ten per cent.

The Union ex-Prisoners of War held their annual reunion in Libby Prison Museum, Chicago, yesterday.

Peter Redpath has signified his intention of presenting the Gill University of Montreal with a $100,000 library building.

David Dudley Field, the eminent jurist, has given a tract of fifty-eight acres, known as the Ice Gorge, for a public park for Stockbridge, Mass., where he and his brothers were born.

Parker Webb & Co.'s packing house, Detroit, Mich., was damaged $100,000 by fire yesterday. One man was burned to death, and about a dozen others were more or less seriously burned or injured.

A freight train on the Albany and Susquehanna road jumped the track at Dyr's Switch yesterday, and fifty-five cars were wrecked. Engineer James Patterson was killed and several of the train hands injured.

Saturday Oct. 10.

William Kesser, of Louisville, Ky., an aeronaut, was killed at Greenup, Ill., Thursday.

The Olympic Theater at St. Paul, Minn., was burned at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Loss, $100,000.

The foundry of the R. B. Smith Company at Westfield, Mass., was damaged $40,000 by fire yesterday.

John and Wade Felder, half brothers, were hanged at Rusk, Tex., yesterday for the murder of Yonce Thompson nearly a year ago.

The storage warehouse of Hunter & Co., at Montgomery, Ala., was burned Thursday with about two hundred bales of cotton. The loss is $125,000.

Superintendent of Census Porter says the question of a permanent census bureau will be brought to the attention of both houses of Congress as soon as they assemble.

The validity of the new constitution of Kentucky is to be contested on the ground that the constitutional convention made numerous changes after the instrument was ratified by the people.

Col. Amos A. Parker of Fitzwilliam, N. H., the oldest living graduate in America, reached his 100th birthday yesterday. He is also said to be the oldest living editor in the world.

Briefs have been filed in the United States Supreme Court in the cases of Steinbach & Co. of New York and Marshall, Field & Co., of Chicago, involving the constitutionality of the McKinley law.

Sunday, Oct. 11.

At a meeting of representative live stock breeders of the United States, held in St. Louis Friday, resolutions were adopted protesting against the appointment of a woman as chief of the live stock department of the World's Columbian Exposition.

The Presbytery of Topeka, in session at Leavenworth, Kan., has censured Governor Humphrey and Attorney-General Ives for indifference to the inforcement of the prohibitory laws, and recommended that elective damnation be stricken out of their creed.

The Walnut Street Theater and the New Park Theater, Philadelphia, belonging to the estate of the late I. Fleishman, have been leased to Rich & Harris, the Boston managers.

Masked men blew open the Government safe in the postoffice building at Veedersburg, Ind., on Thursday night, and took money and stamps to the value of several hundred dollars. They used giant powder, the explosion breaking out glass fronts in several storerooms and shaking the whole town.

The Morse Wool Company, of St. Louis, is investigating the books of William Evans, secretary of the company, who mysteriously left, presumably for Chicago, a few days ago. There were stories afloat placing the deficit at from $10,000 to $25,000.

Raphael Pines, the oldest Hebrew in Maryland, died Saturday at his home in Baltimore, at the age of 101 years, nine months and twelve days. He was married about seventy-five years ago and had five children, three sons and two daughters, thirty-three grandchildren and twenty-five great-grandchildren.

Monday, Oct. 12.

The Governor of Connecticut has appointed a committee, consisting of the Adjutant General and commandant of the National Guard, to visit Chicago and make plans for the encampment of the entire State militia at the World's Fair.

James Adams, Sr., the oldest retired locomotive engineer in the State of Pennsylvania, died yesterday at Chambersburg. He was eighty-one years of age, and was for forty-two years in the service of the Cumberland Valley railroad.

The New York syndicate who recently purchased the Colwell tract of 35,000 acres of land, including two paper mills at Weymouth, N. J., will shortly commence the developement of the land. It is stated that the paper mills have been leased, and that work in them will commence at once.

A mob at Omaha, Neb., threaten to rescue from jail seven men who were arrested for lynching the Negro Coe, who assaulted a little girl.

At a special meeting of the Philadelphia Municipal Council of the Irish National League last night resolutions of sympathy and regret for the death of Mr. Parnell were adopted, and $100 was appropriated as a contribution toward a Parnell Monument Fund. It was also decided to hold a public memorial meeting at Musical Fund Hall on Tuesday night.

Rev. J. W. Gamble, of Ridgeville, Ind., has been missing since September 28, when he left Ridgeville for Chicago. The following day his wife received a letter from him dated Chicago, in which he said he intended to commit suicide by drowning in Lake Michigan.

Tuesday, Oct. 13.

Judge Goodrich has declared the Allen Land law of Texas void.

The town of Hitchcock, S. D., came near being destroyed by a prairie fire Sunday.

E. C. Dummares & Co., dry goods, of Montreal, assigned yesterday. Liabilities more than $40,000. Most of the creditors are secured.

Sunday night's frosts destroyed a quarter million dollars worth of grapes in Chautauqua county, N. Y.

Fifteen indictments for manslaughter in the first degree have been found at Auburn, N. Y., against Conductor Tobin of the West Shore freight train which was wrecked by the St. Louis express, near Montezuma, on August 15, when fifteen Italians were killed.

The marriage of an aged couple at Broadalbin, N. Y., confutes the theory that marriage is a failure. Samuel Bonfey, aged sixty-five years, and Mrs. Phœbe Lasher, aged seventy-five years, were married on Thursday. The bridegroom is Mrs. Lasher's fifth husband, and the bride is Mr. Bonfey's fourth wife.

Northern Vermont is covered with snow several inches deep. Until a few days ago the season had been exceptionally warm.

Customs officials at New York seized three large trunks which arrived on the La Bretagne Sunday, and contained dresses, &c., valued at $10,000.

M. B. Curtis, the actor, was held for trial in the Superior Court at San Francisco Monday for the murder of Policeman Grant. Bail was refused.

The directors of Adams Express Company have removed John Hoey from the presidency.

A man, known as Walter J. Brown, but who was without doubt a peer of England, died in Lockport, N. Y., Monday in a little old shanty in abject poverty. He has resided in Lockport for more than twenty years.

LOYAL LEGION VETERANS.

They Hold Their Annual Reunion and Banquet in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—When ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes, the Commander-in-Chief of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, began to read his paper, "The Military Order," after cigars had been lighted following the banquet of the New York Commandery, at Delmonico's last night, there were no vacant seats. Every inch of space for seats at the tables was occupied, and there were at least 300 battle-scarred veterans, some with an arm left on some battle-field or in some hospital, Mobile Bay or some other sea, and some with only one leg. The presiding officer, Major-General Wagner Swayne, one of the most genial of companions, is one of the "battle-scarred" veterans, having lost his right leg in action at River's Bridge, S. C., on "Sherman's March through the Carolinas."

Among the 300 who sat under the brilliant electric lights, and at the tables, retold experiences of the camp and battle-field and joined with General Horatio C. King in singing patriotic songs, were Generals Charles A. Carleton, Alexander Shaler, and George S. Green; Medical Directors Charles Martin, A. L. Gihon and Edward Kirshner, Arthur F. Bowers, Major H. A. Wilkins, Dr. L. L. Seaman, Colonel Alfred Cooley, General Hannibal Day, Major A. M. Underhill, Medical Director Delavan Bloodgood, Colonel Hamilton, Surgeon Smith, Paymaster G. D. F. Barton, Captain Joel Wilson and Major Allen. Louis Aldrich gave two excellent recitations, and there were short addresses made by others.

THE DESPATCH WRECKED.

She Went Ashore on the Maryland Coast in a Storm.

LEWES, Del., Oct. 10.—The United States steamship Despatch went ashore last night in a heavy gale on the Assateague Shoals on the east coast of Virginia, about sixty miles northeast of Cape Charles, and is reported to be a total loss. The crew were all saved by crews of the life saving stations.

A late dispatch received here states that the crew of the Despatch were saved after heroic service by the life saving crew. The warship is now filled with water, and is destroyed beyond repairing. The crew is being well cared for, and the injured are receiving medical attention.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—No further news had been received of the grounded Despatch when the Navy Department closed this afternoon. The United States steamship Yantic has been ordered to her relief. The Despatch was purchased by the United States Government in 1873 for $98,000.

She had been formerly called the America. The Despatch has been aground five times within the past few years. The officers on board are Lieutenant Cowles, commanding; Lieutenants Nohel and Mulligan, Paymaster Heep and Chief Engineer Ogden.

REVOLUTION IN URUGUAY.

Troops Shot at, Several Persons Killed and Many Injured.

MONTEVIDEO, Oct. 12.—There was a revolution here last evening. The members of a revolutionary club in the suburbs of the city fired upon the troops stationed near at hand.

The latter returned the volley with deadly effect. Several persons were killed outright and many wounded.

Many of the ringleaders of the assault, including a priest, have been arrested.

Attempts were made to assassinate President Obes and to capture the members of the Junta, but they were unsuccessful. Subsequently the insurgents were dispersed and the city became quiet.

The troops in the neighborhood number about 8,000.

Later information as to the effect that the political outbreak originated with the Blanco party. The rising seems to have extended everywhere throughout the country districts.

A CONVICT HEIR TO A MILLION.

Strange Conclusion to a Romantic Tale of Marriage and Separation.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 12.—The heir to a fortune of over $1,000,000 has been found in the Western Penitentiary, at Allegheny City, in the person of J. Edwin Ryan, otherwise known as St. Rayn. The fortune was left him by his wife, the daughter of a wealthy Cuban named Louis de Amboise.

Ryan, who was an actor, married Edith de Amboise after a most romantic courtship. After their marriage a discarded rival named Horace Leigh circulated stories about Ryan which turned his wife against him and he left her. On his deathbed Leigh confessed his crime, but the de Amboises never found Ryan. They are both dead, and the fortune now comes to him. Ryan is said to be imprisoned for an imaginary crime, and proceedings are now being taken for his release.

Death of Wurtemberg's King.

STUTTGART, Oct. 6.—King Karl I. of Wurtemberg is dead.

Karl Friedrich Alexander, King of Wurtemberg, was the eldest son of the late King Wilhelm, and was born March 6, 1823, succeeding to the throne June 25, 1864. His Majesty, on July 13, 1846, married the Grand Duchess Olga-Nicolajewna, daughter of Nicholas I., late Czar of Russia. Karl was a strong supporter of the scheme of German unity.

The United States Supreme Court convened at noon yesterday, for the October term. Justice Field presiding in the absence of Chief Justice Fuller. Justices Bradley and Gray were also absent, owing to illness.

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A MORRISTOWN SENSATION.

Miss Voorhees' Father Says Her Marriage Will be Annulled.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Oct. 7.—This town has been stirred by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Lillie Voorhees, a society belle of this place, to Harry C. Heverin, of Philadelphia.

Heverin is a Princeton graduate and is studying for the ministry in a theological seminary in New York. He was engaged to Miss Voorhees, and no one offered objections.

Three weeks ago Miss Voorhees went to Haverstraw, N. Y., and Heverin followed her. There, Miss Voorhees says she was inveigled into a marriage by a justice of the peace with Heverin, not knowing it was a legal ceremony. When the justice told her it was she instantly left Heverin and returned to her home.

Heverin has disappeared and has not been heard from. Mr. Voorhees is indignant and says he will have his daughter's marriage annulled.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—James H. Heverin the father of young Harry Heverin—who married secretly Miss Voorhees, daughter of the rich Morristown merchant, at Haverstraw recently, says that his son became engaged to Miss Voorhees about two years ago, and Mr. Voorhees gave the young people an engagement reception at the time. The young people were together a great deal during the past Summer. In the middle of September they went to Haverstraw together from Morristown to visit Mr. and Mrs. Flower, of that place. Miss Voorhees complained that her life at home was not happy, and suggested the marriage. As the young man was willing to marry they went to the office of a Justice of the Peace, who performed the ceremony in the presence of a brother of Miss Voorhees and two other witnesses.

TO CHILI IN A HURRY.

The Yorktown Sails For Valparaiso Under Special Orders.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The United States warship Yorktown sailed for Valparaiso at noon to-day. It was about midday yesterday when special orders from Washington were received at the Brooklyn Navy-Yard ordering the vessel to sail with the greatest possible despatch. The order created much excitement in the yard, for while it was well known that the vessel, together with the Boston, was destined to sail for the South Pacific, yet such a hasty departure of either ship was entirely unlooked for.

Immediately on receipt of the news the work of completing the vessel's supply of ammunition was hastened forward, a large quantity of ammunition for the Baltimore and San Francisco being also taken.

Officers and men on all the ships discussed the subject, and were firm in their belief that important and startling information concerning the situation in Chili had yesterday been received by the Navy Department from the commanding American naval officer at Valparaiso, else why this sudden and unexpected haste?

It is calculated that the run from here to Valparaiso will consume forty-five days. The officers and crew were delighted yesterday, on receiving their sudden sailing orders, the ship's company looking eagerly forward to a brush with the Chilians.

SIR JOHN POPE HENNESSY DEAD.

Parnell's Late Antagonist Expires Almost at the Same Time.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Coupled with the announcement this morning that Mr. Parnell died last night was the news that Sir John Pope Hennessy, member of Parliament for North Kilkenny, was also dead. Sir John Pope Hennessy, it will be remembered, immediately after the exposures in the O'Shea divorce case, in December, 1890, contested the North Kilkenny election, backed up by Mr. Parnell's opponents, and defeated the Parnellite candidate, Mr. Vincent Scully, by 1,147 votes. This was a great and possibly the greatest test of strength between the Parnellites and McCarthyites, and the defeat of Mr. Scully no doubt counted for a great deal in the future series of disasters which befell the Irish leader.

SWEETENED $10,000 BY A JURY.

A Grocer Given That Amount for Being Struck by an Erie Train.

PATERSON, N. J., Oct. 8.—Cornelius Ackershock, a young grocer, was struck by a passenger train on the Erie road last Summer while driving over the River street crossing and permanently injured. The wagon was smashed. He sued to-day for $40,000 in the Circuit Court. His injuries have resulted in complete paralysis of one side.

The jury came in at 8 o'clock to-night with a verdict of $10,000 for the plaintiff.

WM. HENRY SMITH DEAD.

The Leader of the House of Commons Passes Away Unexpectedly.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Right Hon. William Henry Smith, First Lord of the Treasury and Government leader in the House of Commons, is dead.

The event took place at Walmer Castle, Mr. Smith's seat as Warden of the Cinque Ports.

The statesman's decease was sudden, although he had been ailing since July.

A Dozen Townships Devastated.

GRAND RAPIDS, Minn., Oct. 5.—Reports are coming in of the hurricane in the northern pineries. Twelve to fifteen townships have been devastated and the loss of timber will foot up hundreds of millions of feet. Settlers who escaped are coming out, their timber claims being valueless. Several surveyors' crews are still unheard from.

A PRIZE ESSAY.

A Small Boy Discusses a Great Subject.

The Deckertown (N. J.) Independent, in awarding prizes for the best essay on "The Local Newspaper," gives the following, whose author is a young school boy of Newton, Addison P. Rosenkrans. It is certainly a meritorious production, and would do credit to a college man:

The first English newspaper was published in London, in 1622, and the first one in this country was issued at Boston, in 1690.

Now their number is untold, and their power is as great as the territories in which they circulate.

Wherever civilization exists their influence is felt.

But we are to write particularly of the local newspaper.

It educates society. Man is a social being. No one lives alone.

All are bound together by ties of interest and sympathy.

A knowledge of the actions of a community makes each citizen a vital force of society.

This can only be supplied by the local newspaper, which not only gives events occurring that affect the interest and character of the community, but it receives and gives information from all portions of the world, relating what others are thinking and doing in social, business, educational, political and religious circles.

It molds public opinion, which sweeps like a flood everything that obstructs its pathway, and is found in the feelings and reason of men who are guided and governed by a true knowledge of public issues.

It secures good government by publishing and criticising the official acts of those holding positions of public trust.

It gives warning by exposing the follies, vices and wrongdoing of persons as so many beacon lights to turn others from the rocks on which they have been shipwrecked.

It makes history by recording the achievements of the past and local current events of every kind, and preserving them in durable form for the benefit of posterity.

It is useful to business. It studies the condition of all classes, and states accurately every occurrence and every sign which affects trade.

Producers and dealers through its advertising columns find purchasers for their goods, and consumers learn where to get what they wish.

It aids and elevates the poor. Its trifling cost puts it within reach of all, and it brings to those who cannot get daily papers and periodicals, on account of their expense, a knowledge of public affairs and provides them with reading matter both interesting and instructive.

It teaches moral principles.

By its constant warfare against crime, ignorance and oppression, and its advocacy of truth, virtue and intelligence, it is the chief agent in the improvement of public morals and in the advancement of the people in virtuous knowledge.

It Is Indispensable.

In olden times newspapers were considered valuable to readers only for their news, and advertisements were mere incidental surplusage, inserted by merchants as a sort of charity to help fill up the paper, and rarely attracted attention. Today the newspaper is indispensable, not only to the merchant but to the shoppers of the family as the universally accepted medium of attracting business.

Advertisements are no longer the regulation musty affairs they used to be. They are among the most artistic and attractive features of the popular newspaper, and the frugal housewife scans the fresh business announcements of each day or week as carefully as the dealer or speculator scans the produce or money market. Those business houses who patronize the newspapers are the ones who secure the bulk of trade. The carefully edited, compact, fresh, complete, cheap and neatly printed newspaper is the popular favorite, and the only channel through which the public can be reached, either for business or sentiment.

The Local Newspaper.

The public have little appreciation of the value of well conducted local newspapers. Their offices of beneficence to the community are so common that they are unnoted, but none the less no town or city can advance without its newspapers are in the forefront of advancement. They are the life of the community. They must lead in every effort to invite capital, enlarge industries and enthuse the people in the use of their advantages.

The local newspaper is the one newspaper that should command the patronage of the community. If only one journal can be taken in a family it should be the one published at home. There is now little excuse for any person of ordinary intelligence not taking a city daily with the local newspapers, since the best can be had for a nominal cost; but there should ever be the heartiest accord and sympathy between the local newspaper and the community.—Philadelphia Times.

Readers Should Discriminate.

And so Mr. —— —— doesn't like some of the things he reads in this newspaper? Neither do we. But he is at liberty to pick out what he doesn't like and leave the rest for some one who is less fastidious. Does he know what they call the man who sat down at a first class hotel dinner, and beginning at the first item on the bill of fare tried to eat every dish mentioned thereon? This newspaper presents a varied bill of fare every week, but there is no law compelling you to devour every portion of it. Just put aside what you don't relish and say nothing about it. And don't swear at the editor. It's both wicked and foolish.—Exchange.

Buy a Hen.

Too poor to take a home paper. Well, that is a distressful condition. Buy a hen, feed her on crumbs and waste from the kitchen and she will lay eggs enough to pay for a year's subscription; then work her up in a pot pie and she will pay first cost, so the paper will be clear profit. Repeat this process year after year and you will see how easy it is to pay for your home paper.—Ligonier Leader.

The advice of The Leader would be excellent if it was not for the fact that nine out of ten who don't take a paper don't know how to set the hen.—Walkerton Independent.

He Found Their Consciences.

"Our next issue," wrote the editor of a contemporary, "will be exceedingly interesting, as it will contain the names of all our delinquent subscribers." But when the time came to send out the next issue it was discovered that there were no delinquent subscribers. They had all paid up! Such is the power of the press.

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	ASSETS.
Ætna Fire Ins. Co., of Hartford,	$9,528,388 97
Hartford, of Hartford,	5,288,609 9
Phœnix, of Hartford,	4,778,469 1
Springfield, of Springfield,	3,009 903 9
Fire Association, Phila.,	4,512,782.29
Guardian, of London,	20,603,323.71
Phœnix, of London,	6,924 563.48
Lancashire, of England, (U. S. Branch)	1,642,195.00
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Imperial, of London,	$9,658,477.00
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AFTER JULY 16, 1891.

Trains leave Bloomsburg as follows: (Sundays excepted)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, etc., 6 10, 11 25 a. m.

For Williamsport, 8.00 a. m., 3.15 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, 8.00 a. m., 3 15, 11.05 p. m.

For Catawissa 6.10, 8.00, 11.25 a. m., 12 15, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.

For Rupert 6.10, 8.20, 11.25 a. m., 12.15, 3.15, 5 00, 6.30, 11.05 p. m.

Trains for Bloomsburg

Leave New York via of Philadelphia 7.45 a. m., 4.00 p. m. and via Easton 8.45 a. m., 4.00 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m., 6.00 p. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m. 7.57 p. m.

Leave Pottsville 12 30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.21 a. m., 9.18 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9 45 a. m., 4.30 p. m.

Leave Catawissa 7.00, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3 19, 6.10 11.10 p. m.

Leave Rupert 6.23, 7.08, 8 27, 11.39 a. m., 1.57, 3.27, 6.18, 11 19 p. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Girard Avenue Station, Phila. (P. & R. R. R.) 4.16, 8.01, 11.27 a. m., 1.34, 4 24, 5.55 7.23 p. m. Sundays 4.16, 8.02, 11.27 a. m., 4 24, 5.55, 7.23 p. m.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut Street Wharf and South Street Wharf.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY.

Weekdays—Express, 9.00, a. m., 2.00, 4.00 p. m. Accommodation, 8.00 a. m. and 5.00 p. m.

Sundays—Express, 9.00, a. m. Accommodation, 8.00, a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

Returning, leave Atlantic City depot, Atlantic and Arkansas Avenues. Weekdays—Express, 7.30, 9.00 a. m. and 4.00 p. m. Accommodation, 8.10, a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

Sundays—Express, 4.0 , p. m. Accomodation, 7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

DELAWARE LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M	A. M.	P. M
Northumberland	6 20	1 50	10 15	5 40
Cameron	6 35	....	.....	5 5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5 5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	6 07
Catawissa	7 05	2 36	10 39	6 [illegible]
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 2[illegible]
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 56	10 49	6 28
Espy	7 27	2 43	.....	6 3[illegible]
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 4[illegible]
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 4[illegible]
Briarcreek	7 41	....	....	6 5[illegible]
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	....	7 08
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 2[illegible]
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	....	7 3[illegible]
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 4[illegible]
Avondale	8 30	3 51	....	7 4[illegible]
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 4[illegible]
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 5[illegible]
Kingston	8 44	4 05	12 08	7 5[illegible]
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 0[illegible]
Maltby	8 52	4 12	....	8 0[illegible]
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 1[illegible]
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 1[illegible]
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 2[illegible]
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 2[illegible]
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 3[illegible]
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 4[illegible]
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	.....	8 4[illegible]
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 43	8 5[illegible]

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 10
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	...	...
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 41	6 2
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 [illegible]	6 2[illegible]
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 3[illegible]
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 3[illegible]
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 4[illegible]
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 4[illegible]
Maltby	6 44	10 28	..	...
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 5[illegible]
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	7 00
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 19	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 11
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 15
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 20
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 53	7 32
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 47
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	8 04
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	8 11
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	8 18
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	8 2[illegible]
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 3[illegible]
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 3[illegible]
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 40
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 15	8 46
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 51
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 56
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 38	9 13
Chulasky	9 03	....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	9 25
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 40
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Connections at Rupert with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for Tamanend, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Sunbury, Pottsville, etc. At Northumberland with P. & E. Div. P. R. R. for Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Emporium, Warren, Corry and Erie.

W. F. HALLSTEAD, Gen. Man., Scranton, Pa.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

P. & E. R. R. DIV. AND N. C. RY

In effect July 19, 1890. Trains leave Sunday

EASTWARD.

9:55 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:15 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 5:55 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore.

1:50 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5:25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. Baltimore 10:40 p. m.

8:08 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9.30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5:55 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 9:19 a. m. and Washington 9:55 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:10 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:42 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:30 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

10:05 p. m.—Train 21, (Daily,) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:45 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:56 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 8:10 a. m., Baltimore 9:00 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:42 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:50 a. m., Baltimore 11:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 21 leaves New York 3.00 p. m., Philadelphia 5:25 p. m., Washington 4:30 p. m., Baltimore 5:32 p. m. (Daily) arriving at Sunbury 10:05 p. m.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:25 p. m., Washington 10:00 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore

SUNBURY HAZLETON, & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD, AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday)

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12 10 p. m.

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:54 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 11:17 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12:37 p. m., Sunbury 1:28 p. m.

Train 10 leaves Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 a. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:39 p. m., Sunbury 7:30 p. m.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt.

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN R. R

Taking effect MONDAY, NOV. 17, 1890.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	NORTH. Ar. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 18	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 10
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 02
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 06	3 07	7 9[illegible]
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 2[illegible]
Zaner's	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 24
Stillwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 29
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 35	7 39
Edsons	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Coles Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Sugarleaf	5 15	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52
Lauberths	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 03	10 43	5 53	10 03	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 15	10
	Lv. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	Ar. P. M.	

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FOR SALE—Desirable vacant lots and a number of good houses and lots in Bloomsburg. The best business stand in Bloomsburg. A very desirable property in Willow Grove, first-class buildings and 19 acres of land. Dwellings in Espy. Ten good farms in Columbia county, one in Luzerne county, one in Virginia and two in Kansas. One country store stand in Columbia county and one in Luzerne county. 3 grist mills in Columbia county, by

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12, 14, 16, and 18 ft. narrow and wide boards; 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. plank; 2x4, 2x5, 2x6 and 2x8 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 3x4, 3x5, 3x6, and 3x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 5x6, 6x6, 6x8 and 8x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 200,000 ft. good shingle lath; 200000 ft. good gauged sawed plastering lath and hair; Bevel ½ and ⅝ dressed siding; rough and dressed lumber; Pine, Hemlock and Chestnut shingles; A good assortment of white Pine surface Boards 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18 and 20 in. wide; Worked Flooring, Pine and Chestnut wainscoating; Pickets and Posts; ½ Car load of good White Ash lumber; Doors, Sash, Glass, Oils, Paints, Iron, Steel, wrought and Wire nails. At Silas Young's, Light Street. May 15-6 m.

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Don't delay. Take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure. It will cure your coughs and colds. It will cure sore throat or a tickling in the throat. It will cure pains in the chest. It will cure influenza and bronchitis, and all diseases pertaining to the Lungs because it is a pure Balsam. Hold it to the light and see how clear and thick it is. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Large bottles 50c and $1.

Republican Conference.

The delegates to the Republican Constitutional Conference of the Twenty-fourth Senatorial district, of which Lycoming is a part, met at Williamsport on Tuesday of last week. Lycoming was represented by C. W. Scott, I. R. Fleming and J. J. Galbraith; Columbia, by J. S. Kline, W. D. Beckley and C. L. Sands; Montour, by W. L. Gauger, S. L. Thompson; and Sullivan, by J. J. Lair, Fred Rodgers and W. F. Cheney.

Mr. Cheney was selected as president of the conference and J. J. Galbraith secretary. James C. Brown of Bloomsburg, and James Scarlet, of Danville, were named as candidates for the Constitutional convention nomination. No ballots were taken. All of the time was devoted to discussing the advisibility of nominating one or two candidates. The conference adjourned to meet at Bloomsburg on October 15.

Be Careful!

No matter what disease you may have. Be sure that the medicine you take is reliable. Such a medicine you will always find Sulphur Bitters, They are not a cheap rum drink, but are made of the choicest roots and herbs to be found in the vegetable kingdom. —*Daily Argus.* 10-16-2t.

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The above must be sold at once and are offered at reasonable figures and easy terms.

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DEATH OF PARNELL.

THE FAMOUS IRISH RULER EXPIRES SUDDENLY.

His Death Took Place at His Residence in Brighton—Something About the Career of the Noted Leader—Effect of His Death.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Charles Stuart Parnell died suddenly at his residence in Brighton last night.

Charles Stewart Parnell was born at Avondale, County Wicklow, in 1846. He was descended from an English family which has been settled for many generations in Ireland.

CHARLES STEWART PARNELL.

His mother is a daughter of Admiral Charles Stewart, a well-known American naval officer.

Mr. Parnell was educated altogether in England, and was a student of Magdalen, Cambridge. He was almost typically English in manner and appearance.

In 1874 he became High Sheriff of Wicklow and was beaten in an effort to enter Parliament.

Next year he was returned for County Meath in succession to John Martin, and for one year took no part in the work of the House.

He became gradually more prominent until in 1878 he was elected President of the Home Rule Confederation in the place of Mr. Isaac Butt.

From this time on Mr. Parnell's history is the history of the recent development of the Home Rule propaganda, which culminated in lining up the English Liberal party with the Irish party on the occasion of Mr. Gladstone's bill.

This union was recently broken, and Mr. Parnell was deposed from his leadership. It is believed that Mr. Parnell's death, having removed the unhappy complications which arose after the O'Shea case, will result in the reunion of all the members of the Nationalist party not only in Ireland, but in the United States.

PARNELL'S MOTHER TOLD.

She Declares That Her Son Died of a Broken Heart.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Oct. 7.—The first information of her son's death was received by Mrs. Parnell in her bedchamber at Ironsides, the family home, at 11 o'clock this morning, when several reporters arrived to interview her.

"His death," said Mrs. Parnell, after she had somewhat recovered from the shock, "has been caused by the persecutions of his enemies. The troubles have not come on him singly, but so thick and fast that his grand heart has been broken and that was the cause of his death. In the death of my son Ireland has lost her best friend. No other would have or could have done so much for the people as he. I do not believe he died a natural death. If he did, it was because his heart was broken and there was no other cause whatever, no matter what physicians say."

PARNELL BORNE TO HIS TOMB.

The Funeral Attended By an Immense Concourse of People.

DUBLIN, Oct. 11.—The remains of Charles Stewart Parnell arrived at Kingstown at 7 o'clock this morning, and was met by a large delegation of the dead leader's followers. Half an hour later the train reached Dublin station where a vast assemblage of people were awaiting its arrival. The remains were taken to the City Hall where they lay in state from 10 o'clock until 2. A procession six deep moved past, and the stream flowed uninterruptedly for three hours. It is estimated that 125,000 people passed the body.

At 2.30 the funeral cortege started for Glasnevin cemetery. The coffin rested on an open hearse, the only floral design accompanying it being the one sent by the widow bearing the words "To My Own True Love, My Husband, My King." The other floral tributes were conveyed to the grave by the pallbearers and the colleagues of the deceased.

The streets along the route of the procession, and the intersecting streets for blocks in both directions, were masses of human beings, while the windows and housetops were also black with spectators. Most of the houses were draped in mourning, and festoons of crape were swung across the streets at frequent intervals.

Twenty bands, scattered through the line of marchers, furnished music, the strains of the Dead March in Saul, the Adeste Fidelis, hymns and Irish dirges adding to the solemnity of the occasion. It was 6 o'clock when the procession reached the cemetery and the burial took place by lantern light. It is estimated that the crowd that followed the remains numbered 200,000.

Death of Ex-Gov. Bigelow.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 12.—Ex-Gov. Hobart B. Bigelow died of acute Bright's disease at 9 o'clock this morning at New Haven House.

SORE THROAT

Bronchitis, colds, coughs, asthma, and even consumption, in the early stages, yield to **Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.** Singers, actors, auctioneers, public speakers, clergymen, teachers, lecturers, and all who are liable to disorder of the vocal organs, find a sure remedy in this wonderful and well-known preparation. As an emergency medicine, in cases of croup, whooping cough, etc., it should be in every household.

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It seemed as if I could not survive, all the usual remedies proving of no avail. At last I thought of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after taking two bottles of this medicine I was restored to health."—Chas. Gambini, Smith's Ranch, Sonoma Co., Cal.

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"In January, 1889, I was taken down with measles and scarlet fever, and exposing myself too soon, caught a severe cold which settled on my lungs. I was forced to take to my bed and was so ill that the doctors despaired of my recovery, supposing me to be in quick consumption. Change of climate was recommended, but I began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and soon found relief. After using several bottles, I was cured, so that I am now as well and rugged as ever."—John Dillander, Cranesman of Steam Shovel, G. S. & S. F. R. R. Co., Justin, Texas.

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Main Street.—Desirable building lot 50x214, price $1200.

First Street—Frame house, 6 rooms, lot 50x214, price $1050.

Fourth Street—Large frame house, 8 rooms, lot 100 feet front on street, price $2250.

Fifth Street—Large frame dwelling house, rooms, out-kitchen, barn, fine fruit, &c., lot 79x200, price $4500.

Main Street—Large store building, with dwelling house on same lot, corner lot fronting on two streets, price $4000.

Third Street.—Large 8 room house, lot 64x212 Price $2700.

Second Street, East of Penn.—Corner lot, 50 ft front. Price $800.

Second Street.—Fine large residence, 11 rooms

Perry Road.—Two story house, lot 400 feet deep, price $900.

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Tenant houses and a number of vacant lots in other parts of the town, all of which are for sale on easy terms. For further particulars inquire

Fine Brick Residence in Espy Pa., Lot 92 feet front 10 room house, everything in good repair recently papered and painted, well at door, cistern, good stable and outbuildings, fruit of all kinds. Price $1600.

Iron Street, near Fifth—Two story frame house, 10 rooms, bath-room, water-closet, hot and cold water up-stairs and down, sewer, steam heat, electric light, and stationary range all in splendid condition. Large new stable on lot, room for three horses. Terms easy and price low.

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DR. G. C. OSGOOD,
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A most important matter in connection with this great showing of new goods is that the prices at the "People's Store" are no higher than those of New York or Phila. markets.

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At 25c a yard,

27 in. all-wool Camel's Hair, in plain colors. Latest Fall shades.

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LADIES' JACKETS.

A few sorts here to-day; lots to come.

Ladies' Short Jackets, high sleeves, loose front, homespun kind $3.50 each, from that they jump to $6.00, then $10.00 and $11.00.

Ladies' Homespun Jackets 27 in. long, Colored, loose front and high sleeves, marked $12 50, very stylish.

Ladies' Black Cloth Jackets cut 27 in. long, trimmed with Astrachan and fur, the very latest, $11.00 and $15.00.

As the season advances we will tell you more about Coats, Jackets, Capes, Etc.

Blankets are here, shown to-day for the first of the season. The sizes are given in exact inches, the materials are stated truly and the weight accurately.

READ THE PRICES.

Silver Cloud; weight 4 pounds, 54 x 72 in., one-third wool, $1.25 a pair. Grey only.

Silver Cloud; weight 5 pounds 63 x 74 in., one-third wool—$1.50 a pair. Grey only.

Alpine; weight, 4½ pounds, 63 x 74 in., hard to find the cotton in them—$2.50 a pair. White only.

Melton; weight 5 pounds, 63 x 74 in.; warp is cotton. Sold last season at $4.75, our price to-day $3.50, in white only.

Melrose; weight over 4 pounds, 63 x 74 in., fine quality of wool; warp is cotton, $3.00 a pair. Grey only.

Iceland; weight 5 pounds, 63 x 74 in., all wool warp and filling, a good $5.00 blanket for $4.00 a pair. Grey only.

Red Lily; weight over 5 pounds, strictly all wool; 63 x 74 in., $5.00 a pair. Scarlet only.

Pilgrim; weight over 5 pounds, 63 x 74 in. Fine quality wool, sold last season at $5.75, our price to-day $5.00 a pair. White only.

Polar Star; weight 5 pounds, 63 x 74 in. Short napped homespun style, all pure wool $5.00 a pair; in white only.

Silver Cliff; weight 6 pounds, 72 x 84 in., all pure wool, both warp and filling, $6.00 a pair. White only.

San Mated; weight over 6 pounds, 72 x 84 in. One of the greatest blankets in the house to-day for the money, $7.50 a pair. White only.

The "People's Store,"

MILL & CENTRE STS., DANVILLE, PA.
Entrance on both Streets.

TRADE WITH GERMANY.

NEGOTIATIONS FOR RECIPROCITY WITH THE UNITED STATES.

Narrower Concessions Than at First Reported—Germany Will Probably Make Our Wheat Free While We Admit Her Beet Sugar.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Germany has entered into negotiations for reciprocity with the United States, but the concessions to be made are not nearly so comprehensive as a published report has made them out to be. From an authority whose thorough knowledge of the negotiations cannot be questioned it is learned that Germany has not offered to admit all American cereals free in consideration of the admission of German beet sugar into the United States without payment of duty. This concession, it was stated, would cause Germany serious trouble with other European countries, and was too broad a concession to be offered or asked.

Under the McKinley Tariff law the admission free of duty to this country of beet sugar manufactured by foreign countries was authorized, but a proviso gave the President authority to suspend after January 1, 1892, the operations of the law with respect to countries that did not grant the United States some concessions in return for allowing their beet sugar free entry. Germany sends more beet sugar to the United States than any other country does, and the removal of the duty on that article has proved a large item in German trade.

No effort was made by Germany, however, to retain the concession granted by this country until the negotiations resulting in the removal of the restriction on the admission of American pork into Germany had been concluded. These negotiations opened the way for treating on the beet sugar question, and matters have assumed a position where the admission into Germany free of duty of some one cereal, wheat in all probability, or of more than one cereal at a very low rate of duty, will probably be negotiated.

THE ULSTER COUNTY DEFAULTERS.

Ostrander and Trumpbour Want to Challenge Grand Jurors.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 12.—At the opening of the Oyer and Terminer Court here this afternoon, Judge Fursman of Troy presiding, the Hon. F. L. Westbrook, counsel for James E. Ostrander, the defaulting Treasurer of the Ulster County Savings Institution, asked the right to challenge each individual Grand Juror as his name was called, under that section of the code which prescribes that if a state of mind exists on the part of a juror in reference to the case, which satisfies the Court that he cannot act impartially and without prejudice to the substantial rights of the challenging party, the juror is incompetent. The Hon. D. M. Dewitt, counsel for Mathew T. Trumpbour, the accomplice of Ostrander, made a like request.

Earthquake in California.

NAPA, Cal., Oct. 12.—The heaviest earthquake shock ever felt here was experienced at 10.30 last night. People rushed into the street in their night clothes, in great excitement; chimneys toppled over; several buildings were shattered and badly shaken up. The Masonic Temple, a fine building, was shattered. At the State Insane Asylum great excitement prevailed, the patients being almost uncontrollable.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—A severe earthquake shock occurred here at 10.27 last night. It lasted fully half a minute, and was the most severe experienced in this city for a long time. As far as known, however, no serious damage was done.

Melbourne Has a Big Contract.

TOPEKA, Oct. 11.—Frank Melbourne, the rain-maker, signed at Goodland last night a contract with a local organization to water the northwestern part of Kansas during June, July and August, 1892, at ten cents an acre for the area watered. It is the intention to have a series of meetings held throughout the northwest to awaken interest in the enterprise.

Blaine to Resume Work Soon.

AUGUSTA, Me., Oct. 11.—It is Mr. Blaine's intention to return to Washington the very last of October, leaving here the 28th or 29th, and he will at once assume his duties at the State Department on his arrival. The family will accompany him.

The Farmer's Alliance of Minnesota will build a 1,000,000 bushel wheat elevator at West Superior, Wis. The elevator will be built by a stock company composed of grain growers.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

PRODUCE MARKET.

BUTTER—Market firm—Creamery, Eastern 18@25c.; Western, 18@23c.; Elgin, 25c.; Imitation, 13@14c. Dairy—Eastern half-firkin tubs 17@18c.; Eastern Welsh tubs, 14@17c. Factory—Fresh, 15½c.

CHEESE—Market firm.—Factory—New York cheddar, 9a9¾c. Creamery 9¼. New York part skims, 7@8c.; full skims, 2@3.

EGGS—Market firm—Fresh Eastern, firsts, 20c.; Western, firsts, 19c.

FEED.—Market steady. Spring bran, 80c. a 85c.; winter, 85c.a90c.; 60lb feed, 80c.a85c.; 80lb, 87½a92½c.; middlings, 80c.a$1.20; sharps, $1.30a$1.32½; cracked corn, $1.30; corn meal, coarse and sifted, $1.40a$1.45; fine, $1.25a$1.35; rye feed, 90c.a$1.00.

HAY.—Market steady. Choice timothy, 85c.a90c.; No. 1, 90c.a95c.; No. 2, 75c.a80c.; shipping, 60c.a65c.; clover mixed, 60c.a65c.; clover, 65c.a75c.

STRAW.—Long rye, 60c.a75c.; short rye, 40c.a50c.; wheat, 40c.a50c.; oat, 45c.a55c.

RYE FLOUR.—Quiet at $5.00a$5.20. Fancy up to $5.50.

Flour.	Spring.	Winter.
No grade bbls. or sacks	$3.25	$3.00a 3.25
Fine, bbls. or sacks	3.10a 3.45	3.40a 3.75
Superfine	3.65a 3.85	3.75a 3.85
Extra No. 2	3.90a 4.20	3.90a 4.00
Extra No. 1	4.25a 4.65	4.25a 4.50
Patents	4.30a 4.65	4.60 4.30
City Mills (patents)	....	4.60a 4.65
West India (shipping)	....	5.25a 5.30